

THREE MEN ARE STABBED IN ROW OVER PRETTY WOMAN HARRY K. THAW FIGHTS HARD FOR LIBERTY

MANY HURT IN RIOTS IN A CAR STRIKE

Chief of Police Struck by Stone
During Charge of Officers
to Protect Non-Union
Crew.

CLEVELAND, May 16 — Rioting marked the early hours of the strike of the conductors and motormen on the lines of the Municipal Traction Company here today.

The strike order was given at 3 o'clock this morning following a stormy all night meeting of the carmen. The order went into effect at 5 o'clock. From the beginning there was trouble in getting the cars out.

One of the first disturbances took place at the Lakeview car barns, where Chief of Police Kohler was struck by a stone hurled by strike sympathizers.

Injured in Riot.

An effort to move the cars from the Lakeview barns was opposed by the strikers. The men on the cars refused to leave and a crowd quickly gathered. The police headed by the chief were rushed to the barns. In an effort to drive the crowd back, stones and clubs were used. The police also used their maces. Many were injured.

Cars are being stopped in all sections of the city by the strikers and their friends. A Payne avenue car was derailed by a rail thrown across the tracks. The crew on a St. Clair avenue car was dragged from the car and assaulted. The motorman's scalp was laid open. On East Ninetieth street a mob of fifty men tore up the car tracks and traffic was stopped.

Danger to Passengers.

During the early hours stones were freely hurled at many cars and windows were broken in numerous instances. Rotten eggs were thrown at the motormen and conductors. The non-union men also were hooted and jeered. In many instances, riding upon the cars by the regular patrons was fraught with danger.

The 300 motormen and conductors formerly with the Forest City Railway Company, the original electric company now being operated by the Municipal Traction Company, remained at work. While many cars are running, yet, they form only a small percentage of the usual quota. Some lines are tied up entirely. During the last week scores of new men have been broken in, while scores of old Cleveland Electric employees were discharged.

Cruiser South Dakota Breaks the Records

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16 — A wireless message received this morning from the armored cruiser South Dakota which is returning to this port from her final trial trip reports that she has broken all records for vessels of her class. Her average speed during her four hours' trial was 23 3/4 knots under forced draught and 20 1/2 knots under natural draught.

ACCUSED AUTO THIEF IS HELD FOR TRIAL

Frank Alderson, who was recently charged with petty larceny and who has a prior conviction for forgery against him, was held for trial to the Superior Court by Judge Samuels this morning for the theft of a number of automobile lights from the machine of E. D. Painter on April 21. His bonds were fixed at \$2,000.

Superior to Lemonade
HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE
A teaspoonful added to a glass of cold water, with sugar, makes a delicious summer tonic.

'BIG JIM' IS AGAIN CALLED ON STAND

Pertinent Questions Made by Juror Mohrig

(Special to The Tribune) ... SAN FRANCISCO, May 16 — Honest Jim Gallagher, as Ach has dubbed the chief of the hooding board who as the star witness of the prosecution has been forced to confess his numerous crimes on the stand and who regards himself as an essential attaché of the district attorney's office was recalled in the Ruef Parkside case this morning.

The matter under investigation was the securing of affidavits by Gallagher from the Supervisors at the time Langdon was removed from office by Schmitz. When Heney had finished with the witness Juror Mohrig asked permission to question him, which, being granted, he asked:

Questioned by Juror.

"At whose instance did you deal with the Supervisors for Mr. Ruef, at the instance of the board or at the instance of Mr. Ruef?"

"At the instance of Mr. Ruef," replied the witness.

"Whom did you consider you represented, Mr. Ruef to the Supervisors or the Supervisors to Mr. Ruef?" "Mr. Ruef to the Supervisors."

"Did the Supervisors themselves negotiate for the bribe money or did you?"

HORNETS OF NAVY AT CAPITAL

Every Building in Sacramento
Has a Flag Floating From It in
Honor of the Fleet Day
Reception.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 16 — Nearly every building in Sacramento supports a flag today in honor of the torpedo boat flotilla's visit. Sailors on liberty spent the morning riding free on the street and interurban trolleys. The theaters have thrown open their doors to the uniform and a lot of jackies are attending the Sacramento-Stockton State League baseball game this afternoon. The Sutter Club will dine the officers this evening and later take them to the theater. The enlisted men will be guests at a ball given by the local militia. Nothing here is too good for the sailors and the latter are enjoying the welcome.

TRIBUNE DAY THE GREATEST EVER SEEN AT IDORA PARK

Idora Park, Oakland, May 16, 1908

Editor TRIBUNE: I want to congratulate you on the great success of TRIBUNE day at Idora Park yesterday. We had 41,869 people at the park, the largest number here at any one time in its history. We had 26,000 at night, 11,869 during the day, as shown by the front gate turnstiles, and 4000 were allowed through the side gates. The crowd was good-natured and well satisfied. Every concession was open, and TRIBUNE tickets were honored from 9 a. m. until 9 p. m. The crowd was so great at the latter hour that it was necessary to shut down the concessions for the protection of life.

These orders I gave myself in the interest of public safety. On the Thompson scenic railway over 18,000 people rode free on TRIBUNE tickets. On the tuckler over 16,000 rode free, and this was about the ratio on all the concessions. The day was a great success and we are pleased to say it was the greatest day ever seen at Idora Park.

JAMES W. PILLING, Superintendent Idora Park.

ROPESPART; ELEVATOR FALLS

Two Men Have Most Miraculous
Escape From Death When
Cage Plunges Down
Three Floors.

(Special to The Tribune) ... SAN FRANCISCO, May 16 — The parting of the cable attached to the freight elevator in the Eagle Laundry at Colton and West Mission streets at 8:30 this morning caused the serious injury of two of the employees who were in the car when it plunged from the third floor to the basement.

The men, Joseph Reilly and Harry Morrison, were taking up a truck load of washing and were about to step from the elevator at the third floor when the ropes parted. They clung to the side of the car and thus escaped being struck as the machine dropped into the pit, but both were badly hurt by the crash. Reilly receiving a lacerated wound of the scalp, contusions of the face and head and possible internal injuries and Morrison sustained a fractured leg, a broken arm and contusions of the hip. Both were treated at the central emergency hospital.

MOTHER WEEPS WHEN BABY BOY IS RESTORED TO HER ARMS

Child Abducted by Father and Taken to Florida

There was an affecting scene in Captain of Detective Petersen's office this morning when 14-year-old Roy Hagist was restored to his mother after having been abducted by his father just one month ago and was taken to Fernandina, Florida. The mother wept tears of joy when the child was placed in her arms and immediately went to the Sixteenth street station to take a train for Seattle in company with her father, George Bertelson of that city.

Parents Are Divorced

About a year ago Mrs. Hagist, wife of George Hagist, an East Oakland butcher, went to the home of her parents in Seattle and secured a divorce from her husband on grounds of cruelty. The divorce suit was not contested and the decree was granted by default. About two months ago the couple agreed to meet and talk over plans for reconciliation. Mrs. Hagist came to Oakland with her child.

On the fourteenth day of April last Hagist and his son disappeared from Oakland. Hagist was arrested some days later in Florida on charges of abduction but was released on a writ of habeas corpus.

Falls Into Hold; Fractures Skull

(Special to The Tribune) ... SAN FRANCISCO, May 16 — Antonio Devara, a Greek, employed on the Folsom street dock was fatally injured at 7 o'clock this morning by falling into the hold of a Pacific Mail steamer and fracturing his skull. He was taken to the harbor emergency hospital and later removed to the central hospital where an operation was performed, but little hope is entertained for his recovery.

HARRY K. THAW, WHOM SOME ALIENISTS NOW SAY IS PERFECTLY SANE AND SAFE TO BE AT LIBERTY



EXPERTS DO NOT AGREE

Alienists Differ in Opinion as
to Thaw's Sanity—Prisoner
Anxious to Match Wits
With Jerome.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 15 — H. K. Thaw, slayer of Stanford White, may match his wits with District Attorney Jerome today in his effort to gain his freedom from the madhouse to which he was committed after being acquitted by a jury. Expert alienists called by the District Attorney in his opposition to the Thaw movement to obtain his discharge from the asylum already have testified they believe him to be suffering from an incurable form of insanity and that in their opinion he would be a menace to any community in which he might choose to live.

Would Match Wits.

Thaw has been quoted as saying that he is not only ready but anxious to meet the District Attorney and that he is confident he will be able to acquit himself in such a manner as to leave no room for doubt that he is sane and fully entitled to liberty.

When the hearing was resumed today James G. Graham who has assumed charge of the case for the petitioner continued the presentation of evidence in support of the contention that Thaw is sane.

Michael Cummins and Lawrence J. Greery, keepers in the Tombs prison testified to conversations with Thaw and said that his actions always impressed them as being rational.

Declares Him Sane.

Dr. Britton D. Evans superintendent of the New Jersey Hospital for the Insane at Morris Plains, New Jersey, was then put on the stand as an expert in Thaw's behalf. He said:

"I regard Mr. Thaw as now perfectly sane and safe to be at liberty."

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POLICE ON PARADE FOR THE ANNUAL INSPECTION

Fine Showing Made by the Oakland Peace Guardians

At 2 o'clock this afternoon the regular annual inspection and review of the Oakland police department was held. In the reviewing stand with the police commissioners consisting of Mayor Mott, City Attorney Melloy and City Engineer Turner were Chief of Police Wilson, Captain of Detectives Peterson, Captain Lynch and Captain Bock.

Parade on Main Streets.

Following the inspection there was a parade through the principal streets of the city to the accompaniment of music by the Fifth Regiment band of eighteen pieces. The parade was one of the most imposing of its kind ever held in Oakland. The department having been considerably increased since the last inspection.

Chief of Police Wilson was in command while Captain Peterson acted as adjutant. The men marched in three companies of two platoons each. Sergeant McCloud was color bearer while Policeman Nick Williams and Con Keefe were the color guards. Company A was commanded by Captain Lynch, Company B by Captain Bock and Company C by Sergeant Brown.

Address by Mayor.

The men marched from Thirteenth and Clay to Twelfth, to Washington to

Injunction Restraining Printer's Unions

HELENA, Mont., May 16 — Federal Judge Hunt today granted an injunction restraining Butte and Anaconda Typographical Unions from interfering with the business of the Butterick Publishing Company of New York. It was alleged in the complaint that a virtual boycott has been placed on the product of this concern by many unions and the Montana Federation of Labor but all were absolved by the court save the two mentioned.

GRAND JURY TO INVESTIGATE SIDEWALKS ON WOOD ST.

Complaint Was Made From West Oakland

Walter Fawcett secretary of the Board of Public Works of this city, has been subpoenaed by the grand jury to appear before it next Wednesday morning and bring with him all records and correspondence in regard to sidewalks on Wood street in West Oakland and also to bring a copy of the franchise granted the Western Pacific Company for the construction and operation of an industrial line on Wood street.

It is understood that O. C. Hyatt of West Oakland complained to the grand jury of the manner in which the sidewalks have been laid on Wood street and also against the manner in which the streets are being torn up by the Western Pacific Company.

TWO MAY DIE OF HURTS

One of Them a Bluejacket From
Battleship Minnesota; Taken
to the Hospital Ship in a
Precarious Condition.

(Special to The Tribune) ... SAN FRANCISCO, May 16 — Three men were seriously wounded and two of them may die as the result of a peculiar stabbing affray, said to have been the outcome of a dispute over a woman which took place in front of a saloon at Fills and Fillmore streets at 2:30 this morning and which three detectives of the police department are busy investigating.

According to the story told by the victims and several bystanders, F. T. Burns, a soldier of the Twenty-seventh Regiment Coast Artillery stationed at the Presidio and William Nagle, a sailor on the U. S. S. Minnesota, accompanied by a Spaniard whose identity has not been learned, and two girl friends of the latter had been spending the evening together. It is said that Nagle, who speaks Spanish fluently, became particularly friendly with one of the young ladies and thus aroused the ire of the Spaniard.

Vowed Vengeance.

He vowed vengeance and while the sailor was talking with the girl, he is alleged to have suddenly drawn a knife from his pocket and saying that he would kill his rival plunged the weapon into Nagle's back. Burns immediately

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EXPERTS OF GOLF ON LINKS

**Pacific Coast Championship
Tournament Will Be Concluded
on Claremont Links Tomorrow
When Trophies Will Be
Awarded.**

The annual Pacific Coast Golf Tournament for the Pacific Coast Championship which began yesterday afternoon on the links of the Claremont Country Club in this city is in progress today. The tournament will end tomorrow afternoon when the Pacific Coast Championship trophy will be awarded by the Claremont Country Club. A gold medal will also be given to the victorious side.

F. C. Newton of the Claremont Country Club won the driving contest yesterday. He showed his superiority by qualifying for the first round of the match play. Newton's score was 76. Both rounds were played over 18 holes. Dr. D. P. Frederick was Newton's nearest competitor, covering 18 holes in 80.

The sixteen players who qualified for the match play, and their scores, were: F. Newton, 77; Dr. D. P. Fredericks, 80; C. D. White, 81; F. Kales, 84; J. F. Neville, 84; J. J. Valentine, Jr., 84; H. C. Goelcher, 85; E. R. Folger, 89; W. F. Garb, 89; F. S. Stratton, 91; H. S. Black, 90; A. J. Liley, 92; W. P. Johnson, 93; A. J. Owen, 95; E. B. Braden, 96; C. P. Hubbard, 96.

The score of the match was 6 up and 4 to play. The other first round matches resulted as follows: C. D. Wythe beat F. S. Stratton 5 up and 4 to play; C. P. Hubbard beat E. R. Folger 6 up and 4 to play; J. J. Valentine beat A. J. Owen 3 up and 2 to play; F. Kales beat A. J. Liley 5 up and 4 to play.

The second round of the championship tournament was played today. Play over eighteen holes. Those who entered were: F. Newton, 81; K. Seale, 84; C. Goelcher, 85; C. D. White, C. P. Hubbard, J. J. Valentine, F. Kales, Dr. Fredericks.

The championship match will be played

RECEIPTS OF ARBOR
VILLA FETE \$5317

The following financial report has been made of the receipts of the May fest held at Arbor Villa in East Oakland on Saturday, May 3: Gate receipts \$1147.75, donations and Teddy Bear booth, \$68.70, Good Will Day Nursery \$156.26, Mutual Benefit Club, \$160; Oakland Social Settlement, \$238.85; East Oakland Free Kindergarten, \$689.10; Ne-

Century Club, \$257.00; West Oakland Home, \$497.01; Ladies' Relief, \$458.11; California Training School, \$414.04; Oakland Club, \$372.45; East Oakland Settlement, \$208.50; Fabiola Hospital, \$650.00. The above indicates the amounts made at the booths and amusements; infinitesimal amounts were received from the booths run by the various societies and, with the gate receipts, gives a grand total of \$3317.86.

the Columbia Park Boys' Club of Se-
Francisco in return for the program
furnished by them during the afternoo
of the fete. The remainder, including
donations, will be divided among the va-
rious charities. To those who sent
flowers and rose petals, to others who
loaned ponies or donkeys, to the Army
and Navy Girls' Club who had charge
of the Teddy Bear booth, to the pres-
ent and all others who contributed to the
success of the May fete the various
charities wish to express their thanks.

Neighbors Save Life of Man Bleeding to Death.
(SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—Following a dispute with his wife over money matters, Patrick Boham, 56 years old, a longshoreman, who lives at 1146 York street

He was at length removed to the emergency hospital, where he was

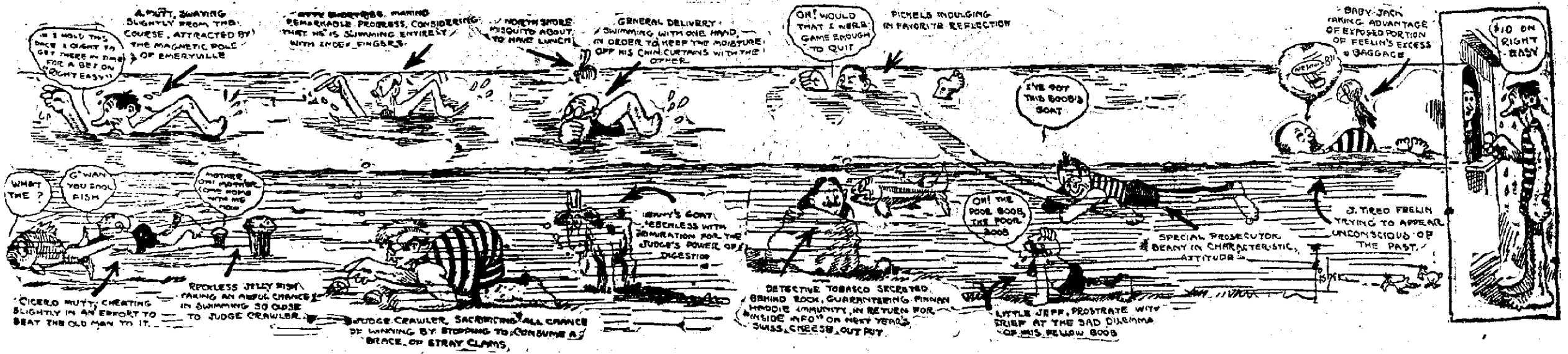
**DEMENTED MAN POSES
AS DETECTIVE TOBACC**
(SPECIAL TO TRIBUNE.)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—August
Polen, an Italian, living at Powell a
Yellow streets, was taken to the

Vanejo streets, with taken to the ventilation hospital this afternoon and charged with insanity, following an episode at Police headquarters. Posing as Detective Tobasco, attempting to arrest Captain of Police, Drake, and he is known to be slightly demented, the authorities decided to take him in charge.

Girl Rout Burglar.—May Sorenson, years of age, found two burglars prowling about in the house of her mother at 1180 East Twenty-first street and frightened them away. The intruders thought the house deserted and were started by the appearance of Miss S.

MUTT'S BUNCH ENTERTAINS THE FLEET WITH A SWIMMING RACE :: BY 'BUD' FISHER

The plunger says that he will show the restore a good time if it costs all of 'Plucker's' money.



—FROM THE SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER, MAY 16, 1908.

WEIRD TALE TOLD TO POLICE

Man Seeking Wife and Children, Who Believe That He Is Dead—Woman About to Re-Wed.

Declaring that his wife had been led to believe that he was dead and had been prevailed upon to leave her home in Italy and come to Oakland to marry a well-to-do merchant of the Latin race, Joe Tonelli, foreman of a section gang at Pt. Arena, appeared at police headquarters this morning to ask for assistance in locating the woman and to take other steps in clearing up one of the most mysterious tales in the annals of police history. Detectives are now working on the case.

Wife Thinks Him Dead.

According to Tonelli, he came to California from Italy about two years ago to seek a home in the land of promise for his wife and several children. He declares that he has written frequently to Mrs. Tonelli, but to his misfortune, no replies to his missives. He finally became worried over his wife's silence and wrote to some friends in Italy concerning his family. Through letters recently received, he declares that he learned that Mrs. Tonelli had left her native land with her children at the instance of two men known as Martinez and Giovanni who had written her that her husband was dead and that a friend of theirs, a man of wealth, was desirous of making her his wife.

Wants His Children.

Believing that Tonelli had died and being without means of support, Mrs. Tonelli disposed of her belongings in her home and with her children started for California. Tonelli declared yesterday that he had learned that Mrs. Tonelli and her children had arrived in Oakland about nine days ago, but he has been unable to discover their address. He stated pointedly that he has lost faith in his wife because of her actions, but his desire to find her is to take possession of his children for whom he says he has great affection.

CROTHERS AND OLDER HELD TO ANSWER

Bakersfield Court Overrules Plea of Once in Jeopardy in Tevis Libel Suit.

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., May 16.—R. A. Crothers and Fremont Older, proprietor and managing editor of the San Francisco Bulletin respectively, were today held to answer to the Superior Court by Justice Black on three charges of criminal libel preferred by William S. Tevis of this city, alleged effort of Tevis to sell the City of San Francisco the Bay City Water Company's plant.

The defendants gave bail in the sum of \$1000 in each of the three cases. Mr. Crothers was held to answer on a fourth charge, the same upon which Mr. Older was examined here several weeks ago.

The plea of once in jeopardy offered at that time was overruled and the defense will contest the court's decision by filing an application for Mr. Crothers' release on a writ of habeas corpus.

The cattle raising industry of Southern California represents an investment of \$750,000, and the annual output of fashers is worth about \$100,000.

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

Any distress after eating can be avoided by taking the digestive organs with the Bitters. Try it today. It is excellent in cases of Poor Appetite, Heartburn, Sour Stomach, Indigestion, and Malaria.

ENGAGEMENT OF MISS AMY M'KEE ANNOUNCED

An engagement of unusual interest was made public today when Mrs. Sam Bell McKee announced the engagement of her daughter, Amy Marguerite, to Mr. Lanel.

Miss Amy McKee is the youngest daughter of Mrs. McKee and the late Judge Sam Bell McKee, and she comes of one of the fine old Southern families, whose history is identified with the early days of Oakland. Judge McKee was one of the ablest early jurists that California has known—a judge whose reputation for integrity and learning extended all over the coast.

For many years the home of the McKees was in Adeline street, and it has always been a home which fully kept up all the old Southern traditions of hospitality. The McKee family is one of the best known families on this side of the bay, among its members being Sam Bell McKee, Mrs. Orestes Pierce, Mrs. Norman Long and Miss Amy McKee.

Mr. Lanel was formerly the French consul in San Francisco, and he is a gentleman of culture. He has made many friends here.

Miss Amy McKee is a very stunning girl, and in evening dress is considered one of the handsomest girls on this side of the bay. She is tall and carries herself superbly, and she has the fine coloring which adds an interesting note to her special blonde type. She is an accomplished girl as well, with a fine voice. She has many old friends of the family, and other friends as well, who will offer her showers of good wishes on this happy engagement.

The date of the wedding of Mr. Lanel and Miss McKee has not yet been announced, but their friends believe that it will take place in the near future, and will be one of the early summer dates.

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jumped to the rescue and in the struggle which followed he also was stabbed several times in the abdomen.

Edward P. Reilly, a bystander, who interfered at this juncture, succeeded in conquering the irate Spaniard, but not until he himself had been knocked to the sidewalk by a blow from the fist of his antagonist.

Reilly was the first to arrive at the Central Emergency Hospital, where he was brought by a friend and two deep scalp wounds were dressed by Dr. Zumwalt. Before he left a police officer arrived from the Bush-street station and placed him under arrest on suspicion of having something to do with the affair, but he was not charged with any specific offense.

Seriously Injured.

Henry Monsee, who was passing in an automobile a few minutes later, brought in Nagle, and the doctor set to work on him. It was found that the wounds were of a deep and serious nature, and at 5 o'clock this morning he was taken in a slinking condition to the hospital ship, which is lying in the bay.

Burns was brought in to the hospital by the regular ambulance which had been summoned and he was found to be in a dangerous condition as was Nagle. Both men give the same explanation as to how they spent the evening, but seem confused about the facts attendant upon the actual stabbing affair. No one seems to know what became of the Spaniard, and the two girls as the few pedestrians who were out at that hour and saw the affair gave their attention to the three men who had been hurt.

\$64,607,250 MORE THAN NEEDED HELD IN BANKS

NEW YORK, May 16.—The statement of the clearing house banks for the week shows that the banks hold \$64,607,250 more than the reserve requirements of the twenty-five per cent rule. This is an increase of \$723,775 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with previous accounts. The statement follows:

Loans, \$1,201,120,000; increase, \$4,777,800.
Deposits, \$1,276,220,000; increase, \$5,869,000.
Circulation, \$57,206,200; decrease, \$131,400.
Legal tenders, \$69,581,900; increase, \$1,821,700.
Specie, \$213,980,500; increase, \$876,000.
Reserve, \$383,632,400; increase, \$2,137,700.
Reserve required, \$319,055,150; increase, \$1,472,925.
Surplus, \$64,607,250; increase, \$723,775.
Ex. United States deposits, \$75,331,350; decrease, \$1,144,125.
The percentage of actual reserve of the clearing house banks at the close of business yesterday was 23.83.
The statement of banks and trust companies of Greater New York, not members of the clearing house, shows that these institutions have aggregate deposits of \$1,169,800; total cash on hand, \$81,400; and loans amounting to \$681,556,200. The loans, specie holdings and deposits of the clearing house banks were new high records.

"BIG JIM" CALLED

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"Was Heney's name ever mentioned for district attorney?" "Well, come to think of it, Mr. Ruef did mention Mr. Heney. Whether he was in earnest or not I do not know, but I rather think he was joking."

"Oh, you think he was joking, do you, when he spoke of Heney?" "I couldn't be sure."

"Maybe he was joking when he spoke of me?" "No, I am sure he was not."

Ach went at length into a visit he paid to Ruef's office and found Attorney T. V. Cator reading charges against Langdon and Gallagher and Ruef present. The witness remembered the incident but not the reading of the charges.

Getting round to Wilson, Ach then asked Gallagher about his position on the board and hammered him unmercifully. The witness said he had told Wilson that he represented Ruef and the Supervisor said to him that whatever was doing on the board he would ask him about it. Questioned as to the substance of the graft talk, Gallagher said he could not tell them in detail but he remembered that he had been spoken to by several Supervisors.

Commission From Supervisors.

"How much money did you get for your vote and service in the fight trust matter?" fired Ach. "Five hundred dollars from Ruef and 5 per cent commission from the Supervisors."

"How many of them gave you this commission as you call it?" asked Ach sarcastically. "Practically all of them did."

"Name some of them." "Sanderson, Coleman, Davis, Harrison and Phillips and I think most of the rest."

"Mr. Gallagher," intimated the defendant's attorney, "Mr. Wilson appreciated your great and eminent service and suggested that you should have \$35 out of the \$500 and they all said the same thing." "Practically so, yes."

"Don't you know that that is not true and that you yourself deducted the money from the payments of every one of them?" "No, sir."

Knew It Was a Crime.

"You knew, then, didn't you that you were committing a crime that would send every one of them up for fourteen years and yourself for fourteen times fourteen years?" "Yes, sir."

Gallagher maintained practically that he had never committed a crime until he met Ruef politically, and Ach succeeded in bringing out facts which lead him to say that the witness was in fact a conspirator in crime with Ruef. The former Supervisor said further that he did not think it necessary to tell the board that Ruef was giving them the money, as they themselves understood pretty thoroughly that he represented Ruef.

"Up to the time you went to the Gladstone apartments and went to see Mr. Spreckels' low man, while money did you receive?" "About \$28,000."

"You talked with Spreckels about how much you received?" "No, sir."

"Where is the money you have received?" "Spent, most of it."

"How much money did you have in the safe deposit box when you went and confessed at the Gladstone apartments?" "Something over \$30,000."

"You took Burns' down there and showed it to him, didn't you?" "Yes, sir."

"At this point the whistle sounded the noon hour and a dispute arose as to the legality of proceeding on a Saturday afternoon. This was settled by Judge Doelling, who said he believed that it was all right to go ahead, and as Attorney Ach and Heney agreed that they wanted to get through today, the proceedings are being continued this afternoon."

BABY'S VOICE

Is the joy of the household, it is complete. How sweet the sight of mother and babe, angels smile at and commend the thoughts and aspirations of the mother bending over the cradle. The ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass is such that she looks forward to the hour when she shall feel the exquisite thrill of motherhood with dread. Every woman should know that the danger and pain of child-birth can be avoided by the use of **Mother's Friend**, a liniment for external use, which toughens and renders pliable all the parts, assisting nature in its work. By its aid thousands of women have passed this crisis in safety and with little pain.

Sold at \$1.00 per bottle by druggists. Valuable book on birth pains.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

Continually nagged, wife claims in suit

The constant nagging of her husband is given as a cause for a divorce, in the suit of Mrs. Florence M. Moore against J. L. Moore, which was filed this morning at the County Clerk's office. The couple formerly resided in Vallejo and Mrs. Moore now resides on Twenty-fourth street in this city. She charges her husband with cruelty, claiming that his nagging and harassing have caused her great mental suffering.

PARDEE FAILED TO DELIVER HIS VOLUMINOUS ADDRESS

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Ex-Governor Pardee of California failed to deliver his address to the conference of governors according to schedule on account of a peculiar incident. When his turn came to speak he arose and produced a manuscript that was evidently much too voluminous to be read in the time allotted. He had not made much headway before one of the governors suggested that Pardee's time be extended to one hour. "I hear no second to the motion," said President Roosevelt, and Pardee was asked to proceed. He abandoned his manuscript and cut his remarks so short that he finished in a few moments.

Another Californian who did not have a chance to unburden himself to the governors was Frank H. Short of Fresno. He wanted to tell the governors what a mistake was being made by the president in trying to limit the rights of way granted to water power companies and to charge them for the use they made of the public resources. But he found the temper of the conference entirely against him and that it would not be wise to attempt to strike a discordant note.

The managers of the conference did not find it possible to make room for Short and he returned to California with his message from the monopolies undelivered.

PLANNING FOR A BIG REUNION

Sons and Daughters of the Maritime Provinces to Celebrate Aug. 1 at Idora Park.

The two societies of San Francisco and Alameda counties, Sons and Daughters of the Maritime Provinces, have joined hands in the celebration of a grand reunion and picnic at Idora Park, Oakland, on Saturday, August 1, 1908.

The place selected, Idora Park, is an ideal one, where amusements of all kinds can be enjoyed by young and old. It is one of the handsomest places of amusement on the coast.

The names of the ladies and gentlemen composing the general executive committee are as follows:

From San Francisco.

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The celebration will be held all day and evening, Saturday, August 1st, thus giving all an opportunity of attending some time during the day, and reviving the memories of other days along the Atlantic shore.

Oakland Society Sons and Daughters of the Maritime Provinces, will present a very entertaining program at the next meeting on Monday evening, May 18.

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WOODLAND TRAGEDY COMES TO LIGHT

Weasel's Skull Is Found on Neck of Bald Eagle.

EAST ORRINGTON, Me.—Through the accidental killing of a large bald eagle, Frank Rogers discovered evidence of a tragedy which took place perhaps twenty-five years ago.

One frosty morning this week Rogers was out hunting for skunks, wildcats and foxes, when in the dim light he saw something large moving about which he shot and killed, mistaking it for a fox. He was surprised when he discovered that he had killed a gigantic bald eagle having a spread of eight feet from tip to tip of wings and bearing indications of being nearly a century old.

While admiring the stately bird and regretting his hasty shot, Rogers noticed some round and shining object larger than a pigeon's egg, attached to the eagle's throat and fastened so firmly that he was compelled to use his jack-knife to cut it away.

He then found he was holding the bare and polished skull of a weasel. No doubt that in some past time the eagle had swooped down and carried away an unwary weasel, whereupon the spunky little mammal had fastened its sharp teeth together in the eagle's neck. The eagle was not wounded seriously, and was able to kill its prey, though the locked teeth of the weasel continued to cling for years afterward and went sailing over North America, perhaps, to remind the great bird of its narrow escape from death.

WEATHER REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 16.—San Francisco and vicinity, clear; pleasant, San Joaquin Valley; fair; warmer tonight and Sunday; fresh north wind. Santa Clara Valley; fair; warmer tonight and Sunday; light north wind.

The estimated cost of a bridge over the straits of Dover is \$24,000,000.

The size of bedsteads used in hotels is regulated by law in Oklahoma.

BURGLAR ENTERS HOUSE DURING BROAD DAYLIGHT

Home of S. S. Schwatka Looted of Revolver and Jewelry.

Burglars entered the home of H. S. Schwatka, 4129 Montgomery street, yesterday afternoon. Entrance to the house was made by the means of the back door. It was pried open with a chisel. The looters took a revolver, a bracelet and ring.

The same burglars endeavored to break into the home of B. M. McCarty, 4176 Montgomery street, but were scared off. A man working in a building under construction near by is suspected.

Sugar and salt will both preserve meat, because they absorb the moisture in it and so prevent decomposition.

20 Minute Service Berkeley Branch

On account of fleet illumination Berkeley trains will run every twenty minutes until 10 p. m. up to and including the 14th inst. On ferryboats are the largest and most direct in front of the illuminated fleet. For further information see Southern Pacific agent.

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would come so near that by a sudden
-ace she could catch one of them. But
they were too wary.

All of this took but a few moments
and as I saw her quite distinctly
and knew that I fired for behind the
shoulder. Although I could see her cu-
line, yet the -ane was so thick that my
sight was on it and not a trifle near it-
self. But I knew my bullet would go
true, and sure enough at the foot of
the slight rise a stumble and a fall of
the bullet having passed through
both legs and out at the opposite side
Immediately the dogs came running, for-
ward at full speed, and we raced for-
ward likewise lest the pack should re-
ceive damage. The bear had but a min-

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rite of two to live yet even in that time
more than one valuable word might be
his life so when within half a dozen
steps of the black, angered beast I fired
again breaking the spine at the root of
the neck and down vert the bear started
down in the carnage on the track
of our fashion. One by one the hunters
struggled up and fell on their des-
quary the noise of the wurr filling the
air Then we dragged the bear out to the
edge of the cave and my companion
wound his horn to summon the others
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The Sacramento Convention.

The expected happened at Sacramento. The regulars controlled the convention by a decisive majority and elected a delegation of representative Republicans to the National convention. As THE TRIBUNE predicted and urged, the delegates were instructed for William H. Taft and directed to support a strong endorsement of the distinctive policies of President Roosevelt in the Republican National platform. Thus California is lined up solidly behind Secretary Taft and President Roosevelt.

Any other result would have been unfortunate for the Republican party in this State. Had the faction which has been waging such bitter and vituperative war on the regular party organization and its leaders gained control, the entire elected Republican State administration would have been repudiated and viciously assailed in the platform, and the entire Republican delegation in Congress, with possibly one or two exceptions, would have been insulted and repudiated in speeches and resolutions that would have created fierce dissension in every county and have filled to overflowing with campaign ammunition every Democratic arsenal. The leading Republican papers of the State would have been openly attacked and many things done to engender factional strife on the eve of a Presidential campaign and so hopelessly embroil the Republicans of California in acrimonious personal controversy and recrimination that cohesive and harmonious action in behalf of the Presidential ticket would have been impossible.

All this has been happily averted by the action of the convention, which has quelled factional disorder within the party and cleared the way for united and organized effort in the campaign. The platform and the positive instructions for Secretary Taft furnish a complete answer to the charge of the Spreckels-Rowell-Earl combination of soreheads and kickers that the regular party organization was plotting to stab the President in the back and send an anti-Taft delegation to Chicago. No Republican was read out of the party, and the incredible folly of repudiating the State administration, the party leadership and the Republican Senators and Representatives in Congress was not committed. Sense of justice and loyalty to Republican principles prevailed over personal animosities and factional clamor. Hence the party goes into the fight united and organized to achieve success.

How different would have been the situation had the factionists had their way. The party would have been rent in twain by actions and platform utterances which would have aggrieved and embittered veteran and honored Republicans throughout the State and made it impossible for many of the most effective organizers and leaders to take an active part in the campaign without sacrificing their self-respect and exposing themselves to continuous insult from party associates as well as from the opposition press and speakers, for the scheme of the malcontents was avowedly to humiliate and drive from the party men it has repeatedly honored and who have led it to conspicuous and continuous success for many years. Roosevelt and Taft were used by a band of repudiated leaders and aspirants for office to gain control of the party organization and feed fat ancient grudges cherished against more popular and successful men.

But the suicidal folly perpetrated by the Democrats in the Stockton convention of 1884, from which dates the downfall of that party in this State, was not imitated by the Republicans at Sacramento. Good sense and fairness triumphed over slander and calumny, and the party has not fouled its own nest and made outcasts of its leaders. Hence success next November is assured. California will give Taft a magnificent majority, and when the returns come in the charge of treason against the National administration made against the State organization by men who have repeatedly bolted themselves will once more be disproved. If the foiled factionists do their duty half so well as the regular organization, Taft's victory in this State will be sweeping and overwhelming.

It is needless to say that THE TRIBUNE is gratified at the action of the convention. Some eighteen months ago this paper made an earnest plea for the nomination of Secretary Taft, being moved thereto by the repeated refusals of President Roosevelt to be again a candidate. Since that time THE TRIBUNE has been a warm and consistent supporter of the Secretary of War, and it now rejoices that his nomination and election are assured. We rejoice that a delegation of loyal organization Republicans will go to Chicago in his behalf, and will return after his nomination to do all in their power to promote his election, as they have in the past striven for Republican success, often being opposed by men who have been vociferously charging them with treason to Republican principles and treachery to the candidacy of Judge Taft.

Thank heaven, we are to be spared the infliction of a party organization built upon proscription and calumny and directed by malice against the Republican State administration. The party has not abjured its past nor apostatized from its ancient claim to stand for free conscience, liberty of thought, and action, and the right of every Republican to participate in the councils of the party and aspire to the honors within its gift.

Sore over the defeat of Chester H. Rowell for delegate to the National convention from the Sixth district, the Fresno Republican whiningly insinuates that former Senator Thomas Flint Jr. of San Benito proved false to some pledge or obligation. The whine and the innuendo are characteristic of a hypocrite and a defamer. Senator Flint never promised to support Rowell and never had any intention of doing so. He is not a member of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League, and if he were he still had the right to vote for whom he chose. That he preferred to support his old friend and neighbor, that honored and veteran Republican, J. R. Hebborn of Monterey, is perfectly natural. Mr. Hebborn was voting the Republican ticket in California when Chester H. Rowell was wearing diapers in Illinois, and the insinuation that he is not a fit man to send to Chicago as a delegate to the National convention is the malicious suggestion of a disappointed sneak.

If Dr. Handy's ghost was present in the First Baptist Church when Francis J. Heney denounced assassination it doubtless cried amen. Heney's reprobation of assassination is shared by many people whose hands are not reeking with the gore of murder. But if assassination is to be put down, assassins must be jailed or hanged and not paraded in churches as exemplars of order and decency and proponents of the commandment "Thou shalt not kill." A witty Frenchman was once asked if he was not opposed to capital punishment. "I am," said he, "but let the assassins begin first." Heney should take the suggestion to heart. Without proof he accuses men infinitely better than himself with plotting assassination. Does the passage in the Bible reading "Whoso sheddeth man's blood by man

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shall his blood be shed" terrify his soul and fill his sleeping and waking thoughts with fears of retribution?

TO DECIDE FATE OF 'WET' SUNDAYS

Supreme Court Will Determine Whether Mayor Busse Must Close Liquor Stores.

CHICAGO, May 16.—The Appellate Court for this district will decide on Monday what is known as the Kenna case, whereby it is sought to close the saloons of Chicago on Sunday.

In this case, so-called because the saloon of Alderman Michael Kenna is named as the basis for the petition, the court is asked to issue a writ of mandamus ordering the mayor to close all saloons in Chicago on Sundays. Were such a writ to issue there would be nothing for the mayor to do but obey it. He might refuse but if he did he would promptly find himself in jail for contempt of court, and no mayor would care to do this. At least Mayor Busse says he would obey the court.

KING EDWARD RECEIVES JENNIE CROCKER IN COURT

Ambassador Reid Presents Wealthy San Francisco Heiress.

LONDON, May 16.—At the first court of the season at Buckingham Palace last night Miss Jennie Crocker of San Francisco, a niece of William H. Crocker, the banker, was presented to King Edward by the wife of Ambassador Reid.

Miss Crocker, who is one of the wealthiest heiresses in California, wore a princess gown of white crepe de chine with embroidery of pearl and silver. She received a gracious compliment from the king.

SHRINERS GIVE CIRCUS; \$5000 FUND REALIZED

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—The success of the Shriners' circus resulted in the payment, as previously planned, of

\$5000 from the fund thus obtained. The money was added to the building fund. The circus was under the auspices of Islam Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S. The managers of the hospital have written letters of appreciation to the Shriners.

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SHAW-WHITE.

The marriage of Miss Winifred Shaw and Clyde B. White will take place this evening in the parsonage of the First Unitarian Church in Berkeley. Only relatives and a few friends have been bidden to the pretty ceremony.

Miss Winifred C. Shaw is the daughter of Mrs. L. H. Shaw and has lived in Berkeley many years. She is a graduate of the Berkeley High School, and with her sister, Mrs. Stuart G. Masters and Mrs. Charles L. Hargrave, has been prominent in many social affairs.

White graduated this year from the University of California. He was elected to the Tau Beta Pi Honor Society while in the college of mining, and was prominent in student affairs. His father is interested in mines in British Columbia.

HERE WITH GOVERNOR.
State Treasurer William R. Williams and wife and daughters, Bernadette and Lois, came from Sacramento with Governor Gillett and staff last week to view the fleet. During their stay in San Francisco the entire party made their headquarters at the St. Francis. Since Sunday Mr. Williams and family have been the guests of Mrs. Jennie Jessup of Hayward.

AT LUNCHEON.
Mrs. George E. Dow of Piedmont was hostess yesterday at an enjoyable party given at the Piedmont clubhouse. A dozen guests enjoyed the luncheon and informal hour which followed.

LUNCHEON AND CARDS.
Mrs. C. J. Brugger was hostess next Monday afternoon at a luncheon and card party given at her home in Grove street. Over a dozen guests will enjoy the hour at luncheon and the card game to follow.

READY FOR FETE.
Those who are arranging the May fete to be given Saturday May 23 at the home of Mrs. M. J. Keller have almost completed the interesting program for the occasion.

The program will be arranged from the works of Tennyson, and will conclude with a Maypole dance given by the little girls from Our Lady of Lourdes Academy. Miss Mary Lambert will read selections from "The Princess." Mrs. J. G. Garcia will give a biography of the poet, and "The Dream of Fair Women" will be rendered by Miss Charles O. Connor. Mrs. John F. Hanlon will contribute "Days of the King." The lyrics will be sung by Miss Mary Charles, Mrs. J. Andre and others. "The Bugle Song" will be by Miss Ethel Healy.

The children taking part in the Maypole dance are: Mary Brushner, Mary Duffy, Marguerite Mahoney, Bernice Hanlon, Teresa Durke, Romona Walberg, Gertrude Walters, Stella Millett, Letitia Williams, Mary Quirk, Agatha Sack.

MOTOR TO THE COUNTRY.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott with Mr. and Mrs. George Amos Scott have gone to Santa Rosa to witness the rose carnival today. They are making the trip in their machine and will return home tomorrow evening.

WEDDING CARDS.
The marriage of Miss Marie Chesbrough and Arthur Markwart will take place the evening of Tuesday, May 26, in Trinity Episcopal Church. A large number of guests will attend the ceremony but only a few friends are bidden to the reception which will follow at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Chesbrough in Vermont Heights. The couple have a wide acquaintance in social and college circles. Mr. Markwart is a graduate of the University of California.

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Althea Vane, whose wedding, was one of the pretty affairs of the week, will return shortly from a honeymoon trip. Miss Gladys Kemp is a popular member of the younger set, and Miss Birdie Curtis is a frequent hostess at her home in East Oakland.

Mrs. Ira Van Slyke is prominent in club affairs as well as in the social world.

POSTPONE DEBUT.
Mrs. Carrie Fross Snyder, who will make her debut as Emia Gray in a clever vaudeville sketch, has postponed the date of her initial appearance and will make her professional bow May 25, at the Wigan Theater in San Francisco, and furthermore will be the headliner on the program.

After a week in San Francisco Mrs. Snyder will be at the Empire and leave this city for a fifteen weeks' engagement with the Western States Vaudeville Association.

ELABORATE RECEPTION.
Mrs. John P. Cook will entertain next Thursday evening at an elaborate reception and musicale to be given at her attractive new home in the Lake Merritt boulevard. Mrs. Cook will be assisted in her duties as hostess by the members of the Calendar Club of the First Christian Church. The affair will be in the nature of a benefit and the proceeds will be devoted to the church fund. A musical program of exceptional merit is promised and among those who will contribute to the pleasure of the occasion will be Miss Kittie Webster, the violinist.

WELCOME DELEGATES.
Mrs. Charles J. Woodbury is chairman of the hospitality committee who will welcome the guests of the convention of the California State Federation of Women's Clubs.

The clubwomen of Oakland are anxious to greet every visiting clubwoman during the convention and every meeting will be open for all those interested in the topics under discussion.

Mrs. Woodbury will have seventy-five assistants and among those who have been chosen to represent the local clubs in this committee are:

Mrs. E. H. Maxwell	Mrs. Harry E. Cable
Mrs. J. A. Miller	Mrs. Leon M. Hall
Mrs. Frances Gray	Mrs. Harry Lewis
Mrs. J. E. Barton	Mrs. Charles Halpott
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BRIDGE PARTY.
Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld was hostess this afternoon at a bridge party given at the Eboli clubhouse in Harrison street.

The charming hostess was assisted in receiving her guests by Miss Belle Nicholson and Miss Carrie Nicholson. Over eighty guests were entertained.

GRAYHILL-HARLON.
The marriage of Miss Delina Isabella Grayhill and James W. Harlon of Irvington took place yesterday in St. John's Episcopal Church. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Edgar F. Gee. After a honeymoon trip to Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Harlon will make their home in this city, where the groom is in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company.

PRESENT PLAY.
The members of the Loyal Sons' Club and Faith Circle of the First Christian Church presented the play, "A Noble Outcast" last evening in Eboli Hall before a large audience. The cast of characters was as follows: Gerald Weston.

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MISS IRENE COIL IS BRIDE OF GERRALD WHITLEY

The engagement of Miss Irene Coil of Berkeley and Mr. Gerald S. Whitley was announced at a delightful tea given today by Mrs. C. M. Perkins, wife of Lieutenant-Colonel C. M. Perkins, U. S. M. C., at their home on Le Roy avenue, Berkeley. Mr. Whitley is a brother of Mrs. Perkins and a prominent business man of San Francisco.

Miss Coil is the daughter of the late Charles Coil and of Mrs. Ellen W. Coil, early settlers of California. For some years past Miss Coil and her mother have made their home in Berkeley, where they have a large circle of friends. The wedding will take place some time in June.

The music was under the direction of Jay M. Roberts. Miss Lorena Rosa Eboli Club superintended the refreshments and in all of the preparations for the production she has been assisted by Roberts and by Miss Alice Pember. The receipts are to be devoted to the building fund, this being one of a series of entertainments by which the members of the church are raising money for the erection of a new building at Twenty-second and Webster streets.

GUESTS AT TEA.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lyman with a party of friends were entertained last Wednesday afternoon at a tea given by Captain and Mrs. Charles Lyman on board the battleship Vermont.

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Over 600 manufacturing, jobbing and wholesale concerns are located in Greater Oakland. The pay rolls disbursed amount to over \$340,000 per month. This immense disbursement means the maintenance of thousands of homes, the employment of thousands of mechanics in construction work.

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The total tonnage of vessels, other than the ferries and regular daily steamers, at the present time in Alameda is 1,013,825 during the year 1907. There was a total of 2120 vessels as follows: Steamers, 1707; schooners, 289; ships, 51; barges, 34; scows, 12; boats, 7; barges, 2; transpoms, 2; tugs, 2; cruiers, 1; and barkentines, 2. The above figures do not include tugboats towing vessels to and from the wharves.

The ship-yards of Oakland annually build many vessels and ferry-boats and the largest marine railway on the coast is in Oakland harbor.

From the West Berkeley waterfront to the extreme eastern limit of San Antonio creek, known as the Estuary, are scores of small and large manufacturing concerns. Bunking the extreme north of Alameda county are three large powder and acid works, and a varied line of industries along the Gas Engine works on the estuary.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., May 16.—On the grounds of the American University this afternoon President Roosevelt addressed the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

The President's Address.

"It is a pleasure to be with you today and to bid you welcome on behalf of the nation, here in the capital of the nation. Important though the Methodist Church is in many lands, there is none in which it has played so great a part as here in the United States. Its history is indissolubly interwoven with the history of our country for the six-score years since the constitutional convention made us really a nation.

Growth of Methodism.

"Methodism in America entered on its period of rapid growth just about the time of Washington's first presidency. Its essential democracy, its fiery and restless energy of spirit, and the wide play that it gave to individual initiative, all tended to make it peculiarly congenial to a hardy and virile folk, democratic to the core, prizing individual independence above all earthly possessions, and engaged in the rough and stern work of conquering a continent. Methodism spread even among the old communities and the long-settled districts of the Atlantic tidewater, but its phenomenal growth was from these regions westward.

Frontier Ministers.

"The whole country is under a debt of gratitude to the Methodist circuit riders, the Methodist pioneer preachers, who moved westward with the movement of the frontier, who shared all the hardships in the life of the frontiersman, while at the same time ministering to that frontiersman's spiritual needs, and seeing that his pressing material care and the hard and grinding poverty of his life did not wholly extinguish the divine fire within his soul. Such was your work in the past, and your work in the present is as great, for the need and opportunity for service widen as the field of national interest widens.

Poor Not Poorer.

"It is not true in this country that the poor have grown poorer, but it is true that in many sections, and particularly in our large cities, the rich have grown so very much richer as to widen the gulf between the man of very large means and those who with sincerity and efficiency and deep conviction, hand the man who makes each day's livelihood by that day's work, and together for mutual help, are those who can do most to keep the gulf from becoming too wide.

True Religion.

"True religion, through church organizations, through philanthropic organizations, in all the field of kindred endeavor, can manifest itself as effectively in the crowded and complex life of today as in the pioneer days, and the souls of men need the light now and strive blindly toward it, as they needed it, and strove toward it in the vanished past.

Confidence in Future.

"No nation in the world has more right than ours to look with proud confidence toward the future. Nowhere else has the experiment of democratic government, of government by the people and for the people, of government based on the principle of treating each man on his innate worth as a man been tried on so vast a scale as with us, and on the whole the experiment has been more successful than anywhere else.

Growing Better.

"Moreover, on the whole, I think it can be said that the grown better, and not worse, for if there is much evil, good also greatly abounds, and if wrong grows, so in even greater measure grows the stern sense of right before which wrong must eventually yield. It would be both unmanly and unwarranted to become faint-hearted or despairing about the nation's future.

Not Blind to Evil.

"But the surest way to achieve this triumph is, while never losing hope and belief in our progress, yet at the same time to refuse to blind ourselves to what is evil in the complex play of the many forces, working through, and with, and against one another, in the upbuilding of our social structure. There is much that tends toward evil as well as much that tends toward good, and the true patriot is that man who, without losing faith in the good, does his best to combat the evil, to stamp it

out where that is possible, and at least to minimize its results.

Build Up Spiritually.

"Prosperity and success, necessary though it be as the material basis of national greatness, inevitably tends to undue exaltation of the merely material side of the national character, and we must largely rely on the efforts of such men and women as those I am addressing to build up the spiritual life with which the material life amounts to nothing.

"As generation succeeds generation the problems change in their external shape; needs vanish, and new needs arise; but it remains as true as ever that in the last analysis national greatness, national happiness, national success, depend upon the character of the individual man and individual woman.

Good Laws Needed.

"We need good laws; we need to have these laws honestly and fearlessly administered; we need wealth; we need science and art and all the kindred activities that spring from the clever brain and the deft hand.

Healthy Family Life.

"But most of all we need the essential qualities that in their sum make up the good man and the good woman; most of all we need that fine and healthy family life the lack of which makes any seeming material prosperity but a glittering sham.

Chance to Do Service.

"If the average man is brave and hard working and clean-living, if the average woman has the qualities which make a good wife and good mother, if each has self-respect, and if each realizes that the greatest thing in life is the chance to do service by the public, the future of the nation is secure. We cannot stand up for what is good in manhood and womanhood without condemning which is evil. We must condemn the man who is either brutal and vicious, or weak and cowardly; the man who fails to do his duty by the public, who is a bad neighbor, an idler, an inconsiderate and selfish husband, a neglectful father. So also we must condemn the woman who, whether from cowardice or coldness, from selfish love or from lack of all true womanly qualities, refuses to do right her great and all-essential duties of wifehood and motherhood.

Honors for Motherhood.

"We admire a good man, but we admire a good woman more. We believe in her more. All honor is due the man who does his full duty in peace, who as a soldier does his full duty in war, but even more honor is due the mother, for the birth pangs make all men the debtors of all women. No human being has a greater title to respect than the mother who bears and rears plenty of healthy children, so that there shall be national growth and not national decadence, so that in quality and in quantity our people shall increase.

Vapid Polly Condemned.

"The measure of our belief in and respect for the good man and the good woman must be the measure of our confidence in the man and the woman who, whether from viciousness or selfishness or from vapid folly, fails to do each his or her duty in his or her special sphere. Courage, unselfishness, common sense, devotion to high ideals, a proper regard for the things of the body—these are what we most need to see in our people; these are the qualities that make up the right type of family life, and these are the qualities that by precept, and by example, you here, whom I am addressing, are bound to do all in your power to make the typical qualities of American citizenship.

MINSTRELS ARE STILL AT THE MACDONOUGH

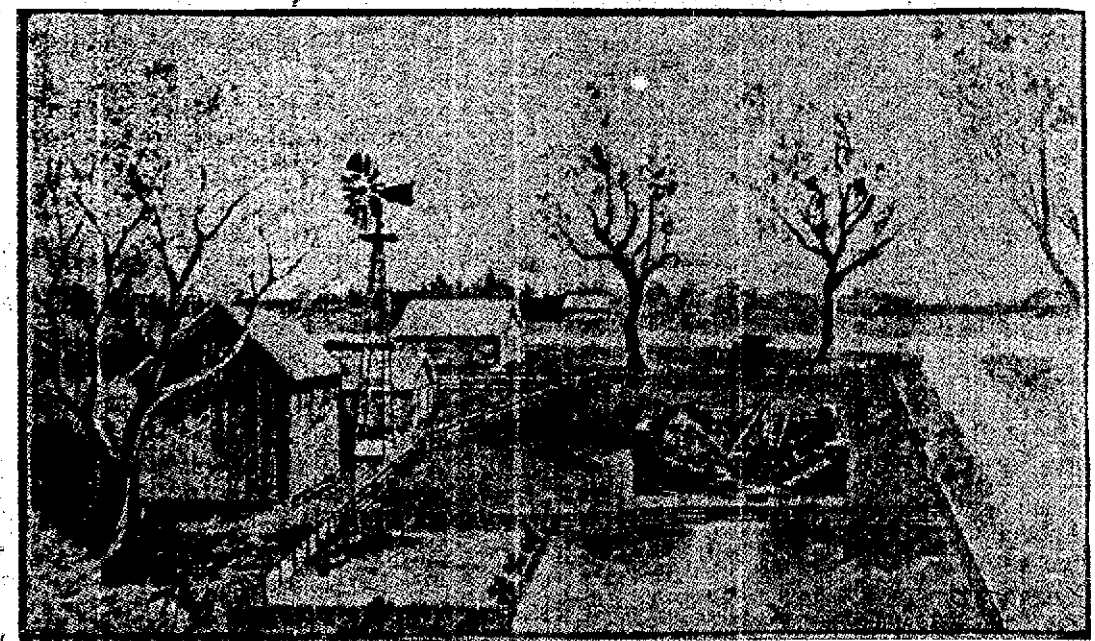
Lew Dockstader's minstrel company drew a large house last night at the Temple of Gens, the first number, introduced a series of songs, Raese Foster was called back for his favorite finale. In the humorous travesty on secret societies, "Joining the Elks," William Miller and John King were very good. The band of Minstrels of the Temple of Gens, who have been playing an excellent bit of staging in the Indian scene.

A popular offering was Dockstader in "A Bull Day at the White House." The big star, Charles Morse; Roy McDaniel, the black bear. President Roosevelt and the Cockade all came in for sympathetic treatment. The play will be repeated tonight.

DRIVER HURT WHEN CAR WRECKS WAGON

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—Sergeant Holmstrom of 104 Wood street, was badly hurt in a collision between car 1323 of the Occident line and a wagon which was being driven by a man named John J. O'Connell, who was driving on the corner of Mission street and Serpentine avenue and was running on the tracks of the Occident line. The car was driven by a man named John J. O'Connell, who was driving on the corner of Mission street and Serpentine avenue and was running on the tracks of the Occident line. The car was driven by a man named John J. O'Connell, who was driving on the corner of Mission street and Serpentine avenue and was running on the tracks of the Occident line.

Valued Same as Gold.
S. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar View, Minn., says: "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills they get the worth of that much gold in weight, if afflicted with constipation, malaria or biliousness." Sold under guarantee at Osgood Bros' drug store. 25c.



General view of Gunness farm. Crosses show where bodies have been dug up. Ruins in center are of burned houses, the ashes of which are being panned in mining style.

LIVERMORE GIVES RAILWAY WELCOME

Speeches and Games Features of the Celebration

LIVERMORE, May 15.—Livermore today in the most hearty manner welcomed the extension of the West Pacific line to the heart of its business district. It also celebrated the issuance of \$55,000 bonds for the construction of sewers. The jubilee services were held in the I. D. E. S. Park in the northern part of the city in which several thousand people from all parts of Alameda county and adjoining counties assembled.

The exercises were opened by a hearty address of welcome by Mayor Knox. This was followed by an eloquent effort on the part of Hon. William McDonald, president of the County Board of Education, ex-member of the Legislature, and one of the most entertaining speakers in the county of Alameda.

Advantages Secured.

McDonald spoke of the advantages to be derived from the extension of a second railroad line to this city. He told of the wonderful resources of the Livermore Valley, and generally dwelt upon the fact that this city is now on a transcontinental line between the Pacific and Atlantic coasts and the southern section of the country.

He was followed by Charles E. Snook, general counsel for the Western Pacific in Alameda county, who delivered an eloquent and practical discourse, setting forth the enterprise of the Western Pacific, the desire of that company to treat fairly the people with whom it was dealing, and the determination of the management when the road should get into operation to treat everybody with fairness and to hear with patience any complaint which might have to be made.

Attend Barbecue.

The speeches of McDonald and Snook were frequently interrupted by applause. At the close of Snook's speech, McDonald declared that the meats which had been cooked in the barbecue were spread upon the table and all present were invited to avail themselves of the liberal spread which had been provided.

The barbecue was followed by broncho busting and several athletic games, all of which were enjoyed by the spectators. Tonight the celebration will close with a ball in Swensen's opera house, which, it is understood, will be largely attended.

The Western Pacific has extended its line to the southern limit of Livermore and has also built inside the last day and a half a switch, one thousand feet in length. On Monday work will be renewed in the extension of the line to Pleasanton on the way to Oakland.

BOLD BURGLAR MAKES BIG HAUL IN BROAD DAYLIGHT

Valuable Jewelry Is Secured by Robber

One of the boldest daylight burglaries ever perpetrated in this city occurred yesterday afternoon between 2 and 4 o'clock when a thief broke open the basement door of the home of Mrs. S. A. Stephens, 1522 Franklin street and stole coins, jewels and silverware valued at \$1,000.

At 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon a man called at the Stephens home and asked if there were rooms for rent. Receiving a reply in the affirmative, he said he was from the country with his sister and wished to get a room for the woman. He said he would be back an hour later to make arrangements for moving, his sister's effects into the place. Mrs. Stephens thoughtfully told the man that she would be away from home from 2 until 5 o'clock and the man immediately left the house.

Robbed During Absence.

Mrs. Stephens thought no more of the affair until she returned at 5 o'clock to find that her home had been entered and the valuables stolen.

The thief had pried open the basement door with an axe and, going to Mrs. Stephens sleeping apartments had pried open a trunk, taking out a Japanese lacquered box which contained the valuables. This he broke open with the axe, leaving the axe and the wrecked box behind him. He carried his loot away in a suit case which had been stolen with a quantity of clothing from the room of Paul Daniels of the People's Water Company who lives at the Stephens' residence.

A list of the articles stolen is given by Mrs. Stephens as follows:

Two silver spoons made out of fifty cent pieces by the Indians in Alaska, a lady's gold watch, a two-karat pigeon's blood ruby valued at \$400, a lady's long gold neck chain, one gold thimble, one opal and pearl ring, one emerald and pearl ring, twelve gold nuggets ranging in value from \$1 to \$50, one gold nugget hat pin, four gold nugget stick pins, three plain gold rings, one gold buckle, six silver knives, six silver forks, six silver teaspoons, six silver spoons, seven silver coffee spoons, one silver berry spoon, six silver nut picks, two silver napkin rings, \$5 in coin, foreign coins, a silver match safe and a walrus tusk comb.

The police are of the opinion that the

theft was committed by the man who had applied to Mrs. Stephens for a room. They have a good description of the man and Detectives Kyle and McSorley are working on the case.

Burglars forced an entrance into the rooms of J. W. Frey in the Metropole Hotel Annex yesterday afternoon and stole a pair of opera glasses, souvenir spoons and other articles valued at \$10.

J. D. Bledsoe of 474 Thirteenth street, reports the theft of clothing valued at \$25; J. V. Culbertson of 1766 Seventh street reports the theft of clothing valued at \$25; while J. W. Eber of 842 Thirteenth street, reports the theft of a watch valued at \$20.

Mrs. R. Vincent of 856 Washington street was robbed of a handbag containing a pair of spectacles while she was standing on the street yesterday afternoon.

WANTED TO KILL HER, SHE CLAIMS

Mrs. Ackerman Granted Divorce After Charging Husband With Cruelty.

Mrs. Mabel Ackerman was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce this morning by Superior Judge Melvin, from George Ackerman, on the grounds of cruelty. Mrs. Ackerman claimed that on several occasions her husband threatened to kill her and that at one time he attacked her with a pair of scissors. She also alleged that he abused her and struck her many times.

Judge Melvin also awarded Mrs. Carrie S. Stone an interlocutory decree of divorce from Elmer Stone, on the grounds of desertion; John J. Silvia from Mrs. Minnie Silvia for desertion, and Mrs. Emilia J. Souza from Manuel Souza on the grounds of cruelty.

CHRONIC CONSTIPATION CURED.

One who suffers from chronic constipation is in danger of many serious ailments. Foley's Orina Laxative cures chronic constipation as it acts directly on the bowels, the liver and bowels, restoring the natural action of these organs. Commence taking it today and you will feel better at once. Foley's Orina Laxative does not nauseate or grip and is pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

TWO FEMALES ARE ROBBED OF PEARLS

Man Turns Them Around in Search Until They Are Dizzy

NEW YORK.—Two lady oysters from Blue Point, L. I., who have been visiting relatives at Stroub's restaurant on East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, were held up and robbed of their pearl ornaments the other night by Herman Roemer, of 146 West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street. It was one of the most daring jewel robberies ever recorded in Harlem.

Roemer turned the booty over to his wife, who was with him at the time, and the two escaped from the place in the confusion that followed when the oysters discovered they had been "touched off." One of the pearls, a flat one the size of a shirt stud, has been assessed at \$250; the other, a steel gray about the size of a pea, is said to be worth \$500.

Mr. and Mrs. Roemer dropped into the restaurant after theater. The waiter brought them oysters on the half shell and Roemer was busy examining them preparatory to burial when he noticed a steady glitter just under the skin of one of the bivalves. He investigated a little further, and when he dug out the ornament his better half insisted that they trade plates.

"You can have it," said Roemer. "I've heard that pearls travel in pairs, and maybe I can dig up one for myself."

Then he put each of the remaining oysters through the third degree. He turned them around so fast they got dizzy. He sounded them with the butt end of his fork, and when he struck a hard substance on the forehead of one of the flock he pried it loose with his fork. It dropped on his plate with a plop. All the diners in Roemer's vicinity had been watching his pearl hunt, and when they saw him draw down two prizes there was a demand for oysters that depleted the stock in a very few minutes.

"I've just conducted an autopsy on thirty-seven of them things," said one sceptical individual. "I tore them limb from limb, but there was nothing doing in the jewelry line. That fellow must be a magician."

But Roemer says he isn't.

OLD GRADUATES VISIT ALMA MATER

Former Students of St. Mary's Recall Experiences of College Days.

The annual "Old Boys Evening" of St. Mary's College society was held last night. Several graduate members of the organization could not leave their homes, owing to their place of residence being too far away.

Speeches, informal and earnest, were made by Walter B. Hinkle, '06, W. J. Fitzgerald, '05, and Harry A. Davis, '07, from the one point of view, while the sentiments of the student members were expressed by Thomas P. O'Keefe, Edmund J. Rogers and Carl Hillman.

Speaker of Evening.

Walter B. Hinkle was easily the speaker of the evening, after a heart-to-heart extemporaneous talk, in which he dwelt on the growth of the society and the fund of good fellowship existing between members, old and new. He read a paper, which embraced, he said, the more important bits of practical knowledge that he gleaned in two years' experience as a railroad engineer and as a mechanical engineer for a large hop-growing and land-project firm in Northern California.

A stray morsel of wit added to several humorous descriptions, produced many laughs.

Fitzgerald, an acknowledged wit and once the life of the S. S. S., made the halls of the chamber ring with honest laughter. His talk was a series of laugh-evoking stories, all with an attached moral.

Mr. Davis expounded upon the value

DENTIST IDENTIFIES MURDERESS' SKULL

Grand Jury to Investigate Coroner's Report

LA PORTE, May 16.—The burial last night of Andrew M. Helgelein marks the beginning of the final stage of the Gunness farm mystery so far as human knowledge is concerned. Two more corpses, supposed to have been those of Jennie Olsen and Ole O. Budberg, have been partially identified but the identity of the remaining cadavers, no clue exists.

The relics taken from the death farm, such as watches and rings, may ultimately lead to the determination of some certain missing individual was caught in the Gunness trap, but this will give no aid in identifying any particular body. The potter's field is most likely to be the ultimate resting place of these seven bodies.

Mrs. Gunness' Skull Found.

Yesterday witnessed two conclusive findings regarding the bodies unearthed in the barn yard or taken from the smoldering ruins of the farm house. One, by the dentist, who bridged Mrs. Gunness' lower jaw with artificial teeth and established that the piece of jaw bone found in the rubble was from her skull; the other, subscribed to by three experts, show that the first body taken from the barn yard of the farm, was that of Andrew Helgelein.

The methods by which the victims of the farm were put to death may never be known. The extent to which Ray Lamphere shared in the secrets of Mrs. Gunness is unknown. The State insists that it has positive evidence against Lamphere and the defense as positively states that the prisoner cannot be proven guilty.

The grand jury, it is announced, will begin to investigate the evidence gathered by Sheriff Smulzer and Prosecutor Smith on Monday. Its findings, however, will shed little light on the subject and the details of its deliberations are not likely to become known.

Widespread Interest.

The widespread interest which the whole affair creates is evidenced by the amount of press matter that has been handled. Over a score of special writers have been here and investigation shows that they sent out close to one million words of reading matter in the last ten days.

The amount of newspaper space taken up by photographs and cartoons relating to the Gunness farm is tremendous. The local photographers have reaped a harvest and almost every train during the first few days of the sensation brought men or women armed with cameras.

HOSTESS BIDDEN GOD SPEED AT FAREWELL RECEPTION

EMMA APPELDORN TO TOUR EUROPE

Many Friends of Society Belle Gather at Home to Wish Her Bon Voyage.

Miss Emma Appeldorn was hostess recently at a farewell party given at her home in Eighth street. Over a score of friends assembled to wish the hostess a pleasant voyage to Europe, when she left accompanied by her father, E. Appeldorn, and her brother, Harry Appeldorn.

The house was prettily decorated and a supper was served late in the evening. The travelers will spend several months in Europe, where they will visit all the large cities.

Those Present.
Among those present at the party were: Sheriff and Mrs. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Hodgkins, Mr. and Mrs. Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Will Shreux, Miss Lenora Appeldorn, Mr. and Mrs. Schmitt, Bill Ross, D. Mauerham, Mrs. J. G. Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Shirk, Mr. and Mrs. L. Trombley, Mr. and Mrs. W. Christian, Miss Christian, Mr. and Mrs. Eggers, M. J. Paine, M. J. Planalp, Mr. and Mrs. Lissner, Will McCutcheon, Harry Balthard, Mr. and Mrs. Schmitt, Miss Schmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Newman, Mr. Kellogg, Miss Kellogg, Mr. Titchner, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Myall, Harry Appeldorn, Mrs. E. Appeldorn, Mr. Appeldorn.

ROB MERCHANDISE STORE AT MISSION SAN JOSE

Burglars Secure \$20, but Overlook Another Sack of Money.

Burglars broke into the general merchandise store of Berke & Rogers at Mission San Jose last night and stole about \$20, but missed getting several hundred dollars which had been left in another part of the store. The burglars entered the toolhouse of Joseph Burdette and phoned tools with which to break into the store.

The front door of the place was broken open. The sheriff is making an investigation of the bold burglary.

CHURCH MEMBERS MEET AT THEIR ANNUAL PICNIC

The annual Sunday school picnic of the First Congregational Church held today at East Shore Park proved to be a highly successful social success. It was deemed one of the most enjoyable affairs ever given under the auspices of the Sunday school.

The feature of the day's outing was a baseball game between the men of the congregation and the members of the cadet corps. The Rev. C. R. Brown played first base for the men's nine. Prominent members of the church made up the team.

This morning was entirely devoted to athletic games for the young people. Luncheon was served at 12:30 o'clock.

PACIFIC NAIL COMPANY FILES \$28,000 MORTGAGE

A \$28,000 mortgage was filed this morning in the county recorder's office by the Pacific Nail & Nail Company in favor of H. E. Bodine. Property at Linden street and the tide slough, as well as the machinery of the company's plant, is given as security. Bodine subsequently assigned his interest in the mortgage to Charles W. Wright.

"A Good Line of Talk." He applied the subject to many lines of life, principally to science and law.

Welcome speeches by Regent O'Keefe and Messrs. Rogers and Hillman, together with a quiet feast completed the evening's happy program.

Whooping Cough.—In February our daughter had the whooping cough. Mr. Lane of Hartland recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and said it gave his customers the best of satisfaction. We found it as he said, and can recommend it to anyone having children troubled with the cough. 25c. Mrs. A. Jones of Durand, Mich. For sale by Osgood Bros' drug stores, Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington streets.

Horseflesh commands a lower price in Arizona than elsewhere.

Men with blue or gray eyes are almost invariably the best shots.

THE MEDDLER



MRS. IRA VAN SLYKE

—Scharz Photo.

By far the largest social event of the week, and one of the most important social dates of the winter, was the "Military Ball," given by members of the Home Club, complimentary to the officers of the fleet. It was a most brilliant affair—one of the greatest successes we have had in many months, and those who planned it deserve all the compliments that were simply showered upon them. The girls are immensely enthusiastic for each girl happy enough to be included in the invitations have simply registered "the time of their lives."

At first there were many doubts as to the success of the experiment—the Home Club is so far away from the fleet in the harbor. But the members who planned it all, were not in the least discouraged, and a success far greater than they had dreamed, crowned their efforts. It was quite fitting that the women's clubs should do something towards the entertainment of the fleet, and as no concerted action was planned, the Home Club took the initiative, and planned its entertainment for the officers of the fleet, and the "Military Ball" was the result—a brilliant ball, which will be one of the many memorable events which history has made for us, since the coming of the fleet to our harbor.

Of course we have had many dances in the past, which the girls will be glad to remember, but this dance at the Home Club is historic, weaving itself into the many dramatic events which have centered around the coming of our harbor of one of the great fleets in the history of nations. Every hour since the fleet dropped anchor in our harbor has been historic, and now our girls have one more event to add to their list—the big ball where they danced with the officers—the brilliant ball at the Home Club.

One can imagine young people remembering that—a long time, and telling of it somewhere down the years, when they narrate the story of how the great fleet came to San Francisco Bay. The Home Club is certainly to be congratulated—for the Military Ball ranks with the most successful affairs given on either side of the bay—and it was far more successful than the big crushes at the Fairmont. No one saw any one else in the tremendous crowd—and one has a memory of the most uncomfortable evening of one's life—and almost every woman present mourns a ruined gown. For at the close of the evening, many a splendid gown, designed specially for the great occasion, was a pathetic wreck. The Home Club members were firm in regard to their invitations, and though pressure of an unusual character, was brought to bear on many sides, the committee remained firm, and though there was a great crowd, there was not the ill-advised crush of the big balls across the bay. In fact, in a social war, the

two exclusive events of the visit were the "Greenway Dance" in San Francisco, and the Military Ball at the Home Club.

The beautiful Home Club was most imposing, as one drove up—a great building on the crest of a high hill—lights flashing from all the windows, the stately building, with its splendid illumination, sending out a welcome that could be seen for miles. It made a luminous picture against the dark background of the night.

The scheme of decoration for the interior of the hall was very fascinating—and exceedingly picturesque. There were myriads of flags—big flags, small ones—everywhere the beautiful Stars and Stripes, making a most appropriate and really gorgeous environment for a military ball.

And we would like to pay a splendid compliment to the women of the receiving party—to their great care of the girls who were their guests, and to the consideration shown the stranger officers.

The cards of the girls were promptly filled, everybody had a partner, for each member of the receiving party was a special committee to see that no stranger guest was neglected, that no girl had a dance left on her program.

One wishes that such could really be the case among some of the dancing clubs—how many heart burnings it would save—how much real humiliation to the girl, who is modest and gentle, and who has never been taught to face forth into the world, grabbing therefrom partners or anything else!

Every girl had all her dances taken, all the men had partners—there was a superb orchestra—every one was happy—it reminded one of that splendid picture so long ago—in the heart of a war time—

"And Belgium's capital had gathered there—

Her beauty and her chivalry."

It reminded one of that fascinating picture sketched so long ago by Byron—

"When youth and pleasure meet To chase the glowing hours with flying feet."

And all indeed did go "merry as a marriage bell."

Only they tell us that just because the fleet is here, there will be rude war awaking—that the army strength of the fleet means peace, so we can enjoy ourselves while the fleet remains, the boom of guns meaning only a welcome—and in all our festivities we do not strike the under note of change.

Very beautiful costumes were the

order of the evening, and almost every guest among the younger matrons and girls looked her best.

Mrs. Frank L. Brown was in the receiving party, and she made a very beautiful study, in an exquisite gown in tones of black. It was beautifully embroidered in silver, and she wore silver ornaments in her hair.

Mrs. Brown was specially thoughtful of the young girls who were her guests, and they greatly enjoyed the good time made possible by her thought of them.

Miss Anita Thomson was a most charming picture in a costume of white and gold—the corsage appliqued in roses—with deep gold ornaments in the hair.

Miss Madeline Clay wore one of the most beautiful gowns of the evening, an exquisite effect in hand painted chiffon—with osprey feathers in her hair.

Miss Josephine Johnson wore white net over white silk, with silver ornaments in her hair. Miss Marian Walsh wore an exceedingly handsome gown of white, elaborately appliqued, and handsome ornaments in her hair added to a very charming costume.

Miss Charlotte Hall was gowned in green, the corsage elaborately trimmed in lace. She looked very stunning, indeed.

Among the guests was Miss Ethel Valentine, who looked very well in one of the handsome gowns she brought from abroad.

Miss Chrissie Taft wore a very becoming gown of white messaline, beautifully trimmed in lace.

Miss Harriet Meek was also one of the very popular girls at the dance. She was beautifully gowned in pink chiffon, with pink roses in her hair.

Miss Putnam, a navy girl, who is here from Philadelphia, was beautifully gowned in blue velvet, the corsage trimmed in rare lace.

Miss Myra Hall wore a gown in tones of white, with white ribbon in her hair.

Miss Margaret Moore, who is still in school, was also gowned in white, with red roses in her corsage and in her hair.

Miss Edith Selby has some most becoming gowns, some of which she brought from abroad. She looked specially well at the ball.

One may be quite sure that always among the most popular of the guests will be Miss Florine Brown. She is so very pretty, with such lovely coloring, that she makes a most charming study in the evening. Her hair is always dressed in the most artistic fashion, with picturesque ornaments, and at the ball she was among the most attractive of the guests in a lovely costume in tones of white.

Mrs. Wickham Havens was the most

well in an Eastern gown in tones of white.

Miss Lillie Reed was gowned in pink messaline, with pink roses in her hair. Miss Jessie Craig wore an attractive gown of green chiffon, the corsage finished in duchess lace.

Miss Arline Johnson wore a gown showing most becoming yellow tones, and the costume was finished with yellow ornaments in her hair.

Miss Gladys Maxwell was one of the most attractive of the younger girls. She is of the brunette type and a most charming conversationalist. She was a very graceful study in a becoming gown of white chiffon, with white roses in her hair.

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one of the most beautiful of the many attractive younger women at the ball.

Mrs. Havens wore a gown of panne velvet in exquisite lavender shades, en train. The corsage was decolette, with rare lace, and she wore splendid diamonds, with osprey feathers in her hair.

Mrs. John Bakewell, the president of the Home Club, received the guests in a cordial and dignified way. She made a delightful hostess and was beautifully gowned in black lace.

Mrs. P. R. Brown, who has been one of the ablest club presidents on the coast, did much to make the military ball the success that it was. She is always very superbly gowned, and her evening gown of rare white lace represented one of the very handsome costumes of the evening.

Mrs. A. L. White looked very handsome, indeed, in a stunning gown of pompadour silk.

Mrs. Edward Walsh wore an exceedingly effective gown in Dresden silk, the gown lighted with diamond ornaments.

Mrs. George Jensen wore a gown of pale pink net of pink silk, with pink roses in her hair.

Mrs. F. M. Smith wore a gown of white lace, the costume set off with diamond ornaments.

Mrs. Bernard Miller was charming in a most becoming gown of white lace.

Miss Ethel Moore is always most effectively gowned in the evening, and she makes a most stunning picture. She wore a lace gown with a long train, the corsage showing a fine arrangement of lace.

Mrs. W. G. Palmanteer wore a gown of heavy silk, with black and white effects, with diamond ornaments.

Mrs. Charles Butters was most elaborately gowned in an allover superb lace gown, with diamond ornaments.

But one might go on indefinitely describing gowns, since each costume had in it something specially individual. They all blended to make a color scheme something very picturesque and fascinating.

The splendid hall of the Home Club was crowded during the evening, many officers coming from the ships, and nearly all the prominent families in Oakland and many from Berkeley were represented. Among the prominent people present at the military ball were Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Oliver, Mrs. John Bakewell, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore, Mrs. A. L. White, Thornton White, Mr. Taylor of Tonopah, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Capwell, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Olney, Mr. and Mrs. John Valentine, Miss Ethel Valentine, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butters, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Heron, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Wickham Havens, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Engs, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Cary



MRS. HARVEY LEACH

—Scharz Photo.

An informal reception at the home of the bride followed the church ceremony. The home showed a most effective scheme of decoration in pink. Lieutenant and Mrs. Crist received their guests standing in a bower made up of pink and silver wedding bells.

The bride's table was very daintily decorated, the center-piece representing an elaborate arrangement of beautiful pink roses.

Mrs. George Kutz, the mother of the bride, wore an exceedingly handsome gown of pale gray voile, very artistically trimmed in lace.

The bride's wedding bouquet was caught by Miss Eleanor Phelps, and her going away gown was in tones of brown, worn with a brown hat, trimmed with a profusion of red roses. Lieutenant and Mrs. Crist have gone on a wedding trip, and they are to meet the fleet at Fremont, where Lieutenant Crist will return to his duties on the Wisconsin.

Among the guests at the church, most of whom were also at the home, were Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Orr, Mr. and Mrs. William Russell, Commandant and Mrs. Phelps of Mare Island, Rev. and Mrs. Alexander Allen, Miss Allen, Mrs. E. C. Prather, Mr. and Mrs. William de Fremery, Mrs. William Hall, Miss Louise Hall, Miss Norma Castle, Mrs. A. D. Thomson, Miss Anita Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Belden, Mr. and Mrs. William Birt, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Van Den Burgh, Miss Katherine Van Don Burgh, Miss Evelyn Hussey, Mrs. Harry Thornton Butters, Mrs. G. B. Cock, the Misses Butters, Mrs. Dennis Searles, Mrs. Robert Lee Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kelley, Mr. George Samuels, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chickering, Frank L. Brown, Miss Katherine Brown, Miss Florence Henshaw, Miss Jane Barry, Miss Letty Barry, Dr. and Mrs. Charles H. Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Moore of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Dunning, Mr. and Mrs. George Dornin, Miss Helen Dornin, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hayden, Miss Hayden, Mr. and Mrs. Louis MacDermot, Miss Charlotte Hall, Miss Mollie Conners, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tuttle, Mr. and Mrs. William de Fremery.

Admiral and Mrs. Kutz have closed their Linda Vista home and have taken a house in San Francisco and are planning to make their permanent home across the bay. Mrs. Crist will remain with them during the absence of her husband in the Orient.

MRS. GLYN, THE ENGLISH AUTHORESS.

Among the notable visitors to San Francisco in "fleet week," has been Mrs. Elinor Glyn, the English authoress, whose literary work has been the storm center of so much criticism in the past four months. "Three Weeks" seems to be the book which has called out the most adverse criticism, and Mrs. Glyn is very spirited in her defense of it. When Mrs. Glyn first announced her intention of coming to California, the Ebell Club decided to entertain in her honor. But the reception will probably never come off, because in an interview Mrs. Glyn says: "I shall never visit another woman's club, that is certain. I went to the Pilgrim Club in New York, because

Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. George Jensen, Miss Florence Goldard, Miss Johanna Volkman, Miss Beatrice Simpson, Philip Bowles Jr., Dwight Hutchinson, Edward Aiken, Mr. Gates of Goldfield, Samuel Morgan, George Samuels and many young officers from the fleet in the harbor.

HOSTESSES ARE KEPT BUSY.

So much has been going on since the fleet dropped anchor in the harbor that every one has had almost more engagements than can well be kept. On all sides people wonder if they will ever be rested again. There have been weddings and luncheons and dinners innumerable, in all of which the officers of the fleet have been much-feted guests.

The most notable wedding was, of course, that of Lieutenant Arthur Crist of the Wisconsin and Miss Katherine Kutz.

Miss Kutz has been so much at Mare Island, and such a favorite in all naval affairs, that it seemed quite fitting for her to marry a naval officer, and a military wedding at this time seemed especially appropriate.

St. Paul's Church was filled with an assemblage representing many prominent families, most of whom were friends of Kitty Kutz, the charming bride of the evening. Somehow, "Kitty" has always seemed a more appropriate name than the more stately "Katherine," and many of the friends at the church had known the bride from childhood days.

American flags were splendidly arranged at the entrance to the church, and the altar decorations were all in white and green, the color scheme being carried out in beautiful ascension lilies.

Many of the marines from the Wisconsin came over to the wedding, looking exceedingly picturesque in the quaint old church. The ushers and the best man were all officers from the Wisconsin, and in the brilliant uniforms of the navy they also added to the effectiveness of the scene.

Miss Kutz has always been an extremely pretty girl, with lovely coloring, and she made a very beautiful bride, adding another to the long list of brides, who have been the center of many lovely pictures in historic St. Paul's Church.

The bride's gown was of white satin, with princess effect, the corsage beautifully trimmed in lace. The long wedding veil of tulle was fastened with orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley.

The maid of honor was Miss Gertrude Russell, who wore an effective gown of white lace over pink silk. Her bouquet was also of lilies of the valley.

The bridesmaids, Miss Eleanor Phelps and Miss Edna Orr, were gowned alike in pale pink messaline, made in empire style. They carried large bunches of carnations, and the maid of honor and the bridesmaids wore short tulle veils.

SOCIAL NEWS of the WEEK



MISS BIRDIE CURTISS

—Scharz Photo.



MISS GLADYS KEMP

—Scharz Photo.

of the courteous invitation that was extended to me. I had been accustomed to move in what is vulgarly known as the smart set, and these women were strange to me. They were rude to me, and I never said all those terrible things credited to me.

"In England we treat those who come to us with introductions differently than the visitor is received in America. The American disposition is to stab a lady in the back is unknown in England."

"That little interview certainly tells its own story. It is very doubtful if an American woman of culture would use such an expression as 'to stab a lady in the back.' It is reminiscent of the lurid dime novel of the past."

"Why Ellnor Glyn should want to come to this country of the aborigines, or why the latter should want to entertain her when she does come must forever remain a mystery to the thoughtful observer."

COMMENCEMENT AT THE UNIVERSITY.

"Commencement" at the University has offered many phases of interest this week. There are always the class reunions, growing all the more interesting as the years go by, and bringing together among the old college scenes schoolmates of other years.

"There have been an unusual number of dinners this week in Berkeley circles, and at two of them there were a hundred guests, Mary Hallahan taking charge of affairs in her usual efficient way."

And really she deserves all the compliments given her, for in one afternoon and evening she planned the Arbor Villa luncheon to 400 officers and the great banquet at Idora Park. She may rest upon her laurels now. It is pretty well understood that we have a big city here now, and that Mary Hallahan is able to preside over its "catering" destinies.

The fraternity teas were fairly well attended, though the fleet interfered in a measure with the receptions.

"Class day" is relegated to the student body, and is full of fun in many ways, and the merry musical comedy in the Greek Theater was much appreciated by the large audience. It was given under the leadership of Paul Steindorf, and was splendidly staged.

STAGE SETTINGS OF THE OCCASION.

Commencement day at the University is always a most impressive affair. For one thing it has the magnificent Greek Theater for a background.

The strength of the hills is all about it, and part of it, and the great amphitheater seems made for great things.

One of them is represented in this student body, definitely taking leave of one phase of life, and turning confidently forward to what they hope will be a successful future.

A beautiful phase of this Commencement day will long be remembered by those who saw it—the presentation of

the beautiful loving cup to Mrs. Hearst, the dear patroness of the University.

Mrs. Hearst was much in demand at all the large social gatherings incidental to the fleet festivities. She was to have been in the receiving party at the Century Club at the reception for the navy women, but the Regents asked specially that Mrs. Hearst be present—and later she knew why. There was presented to her an exquisite loving cup, bearing the inscription:

"To Phoebe Apperson Hearst,
From Her Colleagues,
In
The Board of Regents
of the
University of California."

The inscription was written on a band of gold, wonderfully effective against the exquisitely carved silver cup.

The following beautiful sentiment also had a place on the cup:

"The wrinkled hills shall in her honor wear
Their steel and granite diadem, firm
crowned,
Far shining. But men's grateful
thought to bear

Tribute whereto no ages set abound.
Such meed and emblem these—
The woman's share
Who with wide vision planned,
Whose word inspired the hand
Of master-builders through the centuries."

The graceful gift came as a great surprise to Mrs. Hearst, and she was much affected by it, though she received it with the sweet, graceful dignity characteristic of everything Mrs. Hearst does. And in her unaffected joy she looked so young and sweet that in the big amphitheater, built by her son, she made a beautiful picture long to be remembered.

Perhaps no gift in the history of California has been so well deserved, has brought such universal commendation. For leading the way in every experiment, worth while has always been Mrs. Hearst. It was she who for years all over the country supported kindergartens for the children of the poor. It was she who established the first social settlements, and years ago she provided the Hearst scholarships which each year give to students the means of acquiring the higher education otherwise for them impossible of attainment.

The great Hearst Mining Memorial Building sends out a grand message of woman's unselfish generosity, and on the Berkeley hills in centuries to come beautiful institutions of learning will testify to a great woman's wide vision, to her unselfish devotion to duty, to her beautiful love and care for others.

The Regents gave her the loving cup, a spontaneous tribute of appreciation, but it represented far more than that. It expressed the affection of the people of the whole coast for one of the greatest and noblest women

of her day—for sweet, unselfish Mrs. Hearst!

INTERESTING ENGAGEMENT.

One of the most interesting engagements of the spring was announced this week, the engagement of Miss Louise Hall to Mr. Harry Hayes of Visalia.

Miss Hall is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hall, and is a very sweet, unaffected girl, a great favorite with all the members of the younger set with which she has grown up. She is a very artistic girl, with many accomplishments worth while.

Mr. Harry Hayes is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes, both of whom are well known in social circles around the bay.

Mrs. Hayes was formerly Miss Anna McMullin of the well-known Southern family, and the hospitality of the old home of the McMullins on California street is interwoven in the history of San Francisco's early days.

The "Jack Hayes Canyon" was named for the Hayes family, for their home for many years was in the beautiful spot which was afterward the Dingee home.

Mr. John Hayes was for some years in charge of the Home for the Adult Blind here, and Mrs. Hayes was a most popular member of the Ebell Club.

For some time now the family interests have been in Southern California, and they have large ranches near Visalia.

The engagement was announced to about sixty of Miss Hall's young girl friends, who had been asked to her home for a card game.

The prizes were won by Miss Norma Castle, Miss Helen Dornin and Miss Bessie Fillmore, and when they were presented to the lucky girls they were found to be tied with orange blossoms and to carry the cards of Mr. Hayes and Miss Hall.

Of course enthusiastic good wishes were the order of the hour for the happy bride-elect.

Among Miss Hall's guests were Anita Thomson, Edith Beck, Bessie Fillmore, Florence Henshaw, Katherine Brown, Chelle Sharp, Levilia Hayden, Jessie Craig, Letty Barry, Laura Sanborn, Lillie Isaacs, Gertrude Russell, Eliza McMullin, May Coogan, Marjorie Coogan, Carolyn Palmanteer, Hazel Palmanteer, Edna Orr, Mrs. Lindsay, Charlotte Hall, Mrs. Hiram Hall, Mrs. Arthur Kelley, Marian Walsh, Clarisse Lohse, Mrs. Harry Chickering, Ruth Houghton, Miss Allen.

VISITORS TO SAN FRANCISCO.

Among those who went to San Francisco for the fleet festivities, spending the week there, were Miss Louise and Miss Emma Mahony. They are such popular girls, so generous to their friends, that they usually find themselves quite in the heart of things social. The Misses Mahony spent some days in San Francisco, and returned to the Athens early this week.

Mrs. E. F. Weston and Miss Helen Weston leave for the East and Europe in the near future. Mrs. Weston will place her daughter in school in Paris, after which she will travel extensively on the continent. The Westons have been occupying for some months the Penroyer home in Berkeley, and Mrs. Weston has been a most efficient worker in the Home Club.

MRS. CORDER GOES EAST.

Mrs. Thomas Corder and her sister left for the East on Thursday, and they will not return to Oakland until the late summer. Mrs. Corder and her sister will visit New York and other leading Eastern cities before coming home.

CHAPMANS IN NEW HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin C. Chapman have taken possession of their beautiful new home on Vernon Heights, one of the most artistic of the many beautiful homes in that section. The Chapmans love to entertain their friends in a generous, whole-hearted fashion, and many good times await them in the beautiful new home on the hill.

All sorts of good wishes have gone their way that happiness and contentment may dwell with them always in this lovely new home.

AT HOME OF MRS. DE FREMERY.

Among the cards sent out last week were those announcing Tuesdays as the day at home of Mrs. William de Fremery, formerly Miss Edna Prather.

The De Fremerys have a charming and most artistic home in the Piedmont hills, and the first large entertainment given in it was in honor of Mrs. De Fremery's intimate friend, Katherine Kutz, who was one of her bridesmaids.

The card party was one of the most enjoyable of the many affairs given for that happy bride-elect. Mrs. De Fremery was one of the most beautiful

young matrons at the wedding of Lieutenant Christ and Miss Kutz.

MRS. MOFFITT'S LUNCHEON.

Among the social dates of the week was a large luncheon given by Mrs. James K. Moffitt at the family home on Webster street.

Mrs. Moffitt is among the most charming of young hostesses, and one hears that she is a very bright and successful young hostess. The luncheon was a most elaborate affair, and among the guests were the relatives of the hostess and a few intimate friends.

DATES FOR LATE FUNCTIONS.

There are many interesting dates among the late spring social events, most of them with cards for the motif of entertainment. Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld will entertain on Saturday afternoon in the Ebell Club rooms, and she is one of the most truly delightful of young hostesses, always entertaining elaborately for her friends. Mrs. Rosenfeld has developed into a very fine bridge player, and some of the best bridge players on this side of the bay will be her guests on Saturday afternoon.

Next week Miss Arline Johnson will entertain at cards, the guest of honor being one of her school girl friends from the East.

Miss Florence Pardee will also be a hostess next week, entertaining her young friends at card, at the family home on Eleventh street.

IS BACK FROM GOLDFIELD.

Miss Laura Sanborn has returned to town, having spent some delightful weeks in Goldfield, where she was the guest of relatives. She is much with Miss Lillie Isaacs, one of her dearest friends, the latter being here from Chicago, where the Isaacs now make their permanent home.

HAVE GONE TO PACIFIC GROVE.

Miss Anna Frances Briggs is spending some weeks of the spring at Pacific Grove, where she is doing some exceedingly good work. Miss Briggs has been entertaining friends in her studio at Monterey, and they all returned to town on Wednesday for the fleet festivities.

EVERYONE HAD A GOOD TIME.

What a good time every one has had since the coming of the fleet! It has all far surpassed any of our anticipations, and our pride in everything has been something truly good to see. Especially have we been proud of Oakland, for our decorations carried off the honors in fine style.

California is a big State; a great ocean washes its shores; high mountains mark its boundary line; it is fitting that a great fleet should anchor

in one of its harbors and receive a great welcome worthy of the State.

It has been a holiday time, and how sorry we are all going to be—

"When the lights are fled,
The garlands dead"—

And we have to go back to the duties of every day life—for we cannot be holiday-making forever.

The fleet will sail out of our harbor, but it will leave with us memories of one of the most notable historic events of the century. California has risen to the occasion, and has been in every way worthy of the greatness of the event, and we may well be pardoned for our pride in our beautiful State, and for our faith in her future possibilities.

FLEET FESTIVITIES.

Practically nothing has been done socially this week which had not some connection with the fleet and its officers. Everything has been glorified by the shine of brass buttons and the halo of gold braid. True, the two balls at the Fairmont were such crushes that one could scarcely see anybody. People were pressed together until nothing could be seen of the women except their heads and not even that if the woman happened to be petite. Society looked in at the first ball which was practically a public reception since it was so very easy to get tickets of admission. A great many well known people were there, but there was no dancing at all because of the crush.

The receiving line dissolved into thin mist almost immediately and no one even saw any of the women who were supposed to be doing the honors of the city. There was no attempt at supper and no attempt at presenting the navy officers. The second night the crush was only a little less. As on the first occasion there was quite a sprinkling of society folk but as before the reception was decidedly "democratic," which was proper. There was a little dancing at the second reception—on Monday of this week—and quite an attendance of young officers. Among the women on the receiving party were some San Rafael ladies, including Mrs. Roosevelt, daughter of Judge Morrow. These ladies managed to extract much fun from the occasion by introducing one another, one as the President's wife and the others as the wives of "admirals." The people who were presented didn't seem to know the difference or care if they did. One lady in the receiving line, despairing of hearing more than half the names, decided to assume that each man bore the same name as the woman who preceded him. Upon hearing the name of Mrs. Demijohn, for instance, this lady would say with great affability, "Ah, Mr. Demijohn, how do you do?" Whereupon the man would reply with much stiffness, "My name is NOT Demijohn, Madame."

So great was the crush that one officer lost an epaulet but could not stop in the jam to recover it. He feared that if he stopped he would be crushed, so the epaulet was lost to him forever.

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THE GREENWAY BALL.

The Greenway ball was a dream. In the first place the decorations were the most beautiful the famous organization has ever seen. In the second, every detail was carefully arranged. The three officers from each battleship had been selected with care and included only the most charming men and not a single detail of music or supper had been neglected. The supper parties had been most carefully arranged and everything went off without a hitch or a bit of confusion. The decorations by the Misses Worn were beautiful. As everyone knows, the ball was in the white and gold ballroom of the Fairmont which has turquoise blue hangings. Against the walls wreaths of Duchesse roses, and garlands of pink geranium had been arranged.

SUCCESSFUL BANQUETS.

The Fairmont and St. Francis banquets were both successful. That at the Fairmont was much larger and much more elaborately decorated and was distinguished by an excellent speech by Rev. Robert Burdette. The other was glorified by the unexpected appearance for ten minutes of "Fighting Bob" Evans, who made a fine little speech in which he spoke lovingly of his men and made a plea for "more battleships and fewer statesmen."

THE ENLISTED MEN'S BALL.

One of the sights of the week was the enlisted men's ball—a very well managed entertainment, unique of its kind and long to be remembered by the twenty-five hundred men who enjoyed it. The affair took place at the Auditorium Rink and was managed by the California Club, and that capable organization never proved its capacity more than it did on that occasion. At first it seemed to most people a silly idea, but the end justified the event. Instead of the jack-tars being compelled to go, as was publicly stated, there were twice as many who desired to go as could possibly be accommodated and the of-

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\$50--THE TRIBUNE'S BABY BEAUTY CONTEST--\$50

DELBERT N. RANDALL • LESTER BURPEE JR. • JAMES M. COMMON • FLORENCE MILLER • WILLIAM T. STECKER • EVELYN GOSTER • JANICE F. McNALLY



Babies in THE TRIBUNE'S beauty contest as shown today are:

Lester Glenn Burpee Jr., age 1 year, 461 Edwards street, Oakland.

Steven Brand, age 1 year, 1059 Sixtieth street, Oakland.

Florence Miller, granddaughter of Mrs. C. H. Thomas, 871 Fifty-second street, Oakland.

Delbert Nathan Randall, age 4 months, son of N. R. Randall, 1313 Ninth street, Oakland.

James M. Common, age 2 years 6 months, son of James Common, 3501 Wilson avenue, Dimond, Cal.

Evelyn Goster, age 11 months, daughter of Eugene Goster, 812 Wood street, Oakland.

William T. Stecker, age 2 years 8 months, son of W. F. Stecker, 1822 Atlantic street, Oakland.

Janice Frances McNally, age 13 months, daughter of J. F. McNally, 412 Washington street, Petaluma.

Johnston Oliver Baylor, age 5 months, son of J. O. Baylor, Clifton, Arizona.

Walter Martin, 905 Broadway, Oakland.

THE MEDDLER

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scers had to pick and choose to bring the detail down to twenty-five hundred.

If any man there did not have a dance, or as many dances as he chose, it was certainly his own fault, for there were girls and to spare. Every Jack had his Jill. The girls were recruited from the Laundry Workers' Union, the Milliners' Union, the Garment Workers' Union and kindred women's organizations, and, besides, there were a great many clerks from the dry and fancy goods stores and a large number of ladies from the California Club. Evening dress was the rule, and the grand march was a really wonderful sight. Eight times it circled and curved about the great floor before it broke into a waltz. The music was inspiring, the floor good and the sailors looked well and danced admirably. There were very few men on the floor who could not dance and lead well. The grand march was led by a yeoman from the Kearsarge, who had upon his arm Mrs. Thomas, wife of the admiral. Admiral Thomas followed with Mrs. Orr, president of the California Club, and Mrs. Taylor, wife of the Mayor, followed with another sailor. Mrs. Arthur Cornwall, to whom the great success of the affair is due, followed with Mayor Taylor, and then came the club ladies, almost all of them with enlisted men or petty officers. To those 5000 dancers both lemonade and ice cream were served, and the entire ball was pronounced the greatest success of the week.

TUG PARTIES GALORE.

There have been tug parties galore during the week, almost every one having as its object a nearer view of the battleships or perhaps luncheon or dinner on some particular one. Mrs. Frederick Sharon entertained at one of these parties, Mrs. R. P. Schweitzer at another and Mrs. William Tevis at a third. The day that Secretary Metcalf reviewed the fleet—Friday of last week—the bay was black with small craft: following in the Yorktown's wake. One of these large steamers—the Caroline—had been

chartered by Jack Wilson for a large stag party, and a delicious luncheon was served on board. Among the guests was John Drew, whom every one delights to meet.

UP FROM DEL MONTE.

Mrs. A. N. Towne and Mrs. Clinton Worden have been spending last week in San Francisco and have now gone to San Rafael for a few days before returning to Del Monte, where they have made their permanent home since the fire. Mrs. Worden is always tastefully and exquisitely dressed. She has such a collection of jewels that she wears different ones to match every costume, bracelets, rings, necklaces and chains of rubies, emeralds, sapphires, pearls and diamonds or turquoise and amethysts being worn to match her gowns.

JOHN DREW ENTERTAINED.

John Drew has been much entertained during his stay here. After his first performance he was whisked



WALTER MARTIN



STEVEN BRAND

away in an automobile by Will Crocker, Walter Hobart and Dick Tobin. After a swift ride to Burlingame, the machine being driven by Walter Hobart, supper was served at Dick Tobin's house. The following Sunday Mr. Drew was the guest of Will Crocker at Burlingame, and lunched at the club. On Friday of last week Thornwell Mullally gave a luncheon to Mr. Drew at the Fairmont. Drew's houses have been crowded every night and the engagement has been a great social and financial as well as an artistic success.

THE MEDDLER.

He Wins Sweetheart After Risking Life in Search of Diamond Fields

TORONTO, Ont., May 16.—Uncut diamonds worth more than \$5,000 were seen and examined at the home of John A. Mackenzie's sister on University avenue. The discovery of the field on the Nottaway river in Quebec, about 400 miles north of here, refuses to indicate its exact locality, but considers the fields vastly richer than the South African districts. He was once a diamond miner in Kimberley.

"Indian Joe," the guide who shared Mackenzie's two years of privation and suffering and then, while tipsy, betrayed the location of the fabulous diamond field, was sent away in charge of Mackenzie's brother-in-law. It is probable that his story was true.

A stirring romance is connected with the discovery. Mackenzie was madly in love with the daughter of a rich Chicago manufacturer and she reciprocated his affection. The parents would not consent to their union, because the suitor was

poor, so he determined to seek wealth in the bleak Northwestern wilderness, somewhere in which a rich diamond field had been reported to exist.

After two years of great sufferings and bitter disappointment came Mackenzie's triumphant success, and close upon that followed a telegraphic message from Chicago that the parents could no longer withhold their consent to receive a son-in-law who was good enough for an Emperor.

Mackenzie was born in San Francisco in 1874. When his parents died ten years later he became a newsboy, peddler and later a worker in the Kimberly diamond mines. Returning to America three years ago he met the Chicago young woman and was ordered from the house by the parents. His sweetheart was taken to Europe, but a clandestine correspondence carried on by the aid of the girl's chum kept Mackenzie's spirits up.

In 1905 the prospector left Chicago to search for the diamond fields that legend said lay somewhere in the wilderness. Accompanied by "Indian Joe" he covered the territory adjacent to Lakes Kikabonga and Grand Victoria until the close of the season without finding anything. Last spring he returned to the Grand Lake Victoria district and, according to the guide's story, the first diamonds were picked up along the Nottaway river, twenty miles northwest of Lake Shabogama. Two miles further twenty-seven stones were picked up within a radius of ten feet. Half way between the lakes and the river was found the center of the diamond field, scattered over with pockets containing stones of marvelous size and brilliancy.

The men reached Lake Mattagami last fall and were about to return when Mackenzie was stricken with fever. When he was able to travel again the season had closed. He and "Indian Joe" constructed a dug-out near the river mouth and lived there all winter, fishing, hunting and starving alternately.

The struck out on the first sign of spring and finally reached New Liskard, where they could take a train to Toronto. A telegram to his sweetheart telling of his success brought the joyful response that the parents no longer withheld their consent.

NEW YORK, May 16.—M. Brennan, 28, ticket speculator, of 335 East Fifty-seventh street, was held in \$500 bail by Magistrate Walsh in the West Side Court on charges of assault by two women who said he tried to hug them in Sixth avenue.

Mrs. L. C. Curran of the Hotel Savoy, and Miss Katherine Meisner of 862 Sixth avenue, a manicurist at the St. Regis, were the women. Brennan attacked Mrs. Curran at Fifth street, according to her story. She screamed, Brennan fled. Policeman Keaminsky pursued. At Fifty-fifth street Brennan threw an arm about the waist of Miss Meisner and the policeman caught him.

BOY HERO PINNED BY A ROCK SEEKS TO CLEAR MOTHER

Crushed and in Agony He Thinks Only of Her—Finally Freed but May Die

NEW YORK, May 16.—Crushed for one hour under a massive rock, which pinned him by arm and leg, Nicholas Buckstein, 12, with marvelous heroism, spoke cheerfully to his frenzied mother, seeking to allay her distress. And he adjusted with his own hand the rope that drew him free.

It was 7 o'clock tonight when the rock pinned the boy beneath it. It was five minutes to 8 before he was released, so mangled that his life, it is feared, cannot be saved.

Nicholas Buckstein is a son of Leo Buckstein, head of the Phoenix Sign Company, at 84 Sixth avenue. Their home is at 223 West One Hundred and Forty-ninth street. With his younger brother, Clarence, 10 years old, Nicholas was playing Indian on the rocks in One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Seventh avenue and McComb's Dam road, where a boulder, three tons in weight, shaped like a top, stands on

its smallest point. Boys some time ago began to tunnel under the boulder to make a cave, which had reached a depth of four feet. Nicholas crawled into the cave yesterday to enlarge it.

The boy loosened a small stone which had been the remaining support of the boulder and the three-ton mass fell upon his left arm and leg. His head and the rest of his body were free.

He made no outcry, but said quietly to his brother:

"Go and bring some men."

Clarence ran to the street below and brought Clarence Maas, of 275 West One Hundred and Fifty-first street, and William Heywood, of 277 West One Hundred and Fifty-first street.

"Now, Clarence," said Nicholas to his brother, "these men will get me out. You go and tell mamma I'm all right and not to worry."

The younger boy sped home with this message. One of the men called for help

from the Fire Department, and truck No. 28 came with Lieutenant Hawley. The other man summoned an ambulance from the Harlem Hospital, which brought Dr. Schiff.

Meantime Mrs. Buckstein had reached the scene, and her grief and fright were heartrending.

Dr. Schiff crawled into the cave to boy, who was fully conscious. To the doctor's encouragement the lad responded bravely, and so they chatted, the one lying crushed, the other kneeling beside him, administering stimulants and doing whatever he could, while the firemen and others discussed means of releasing the lad.

There was danger that an attempt to raise the boulder would roll its full weight upon him. Stout planks used as levers were placed under the boulder, and around it was fastened a stout rope. Then a looped rope was lowered into the cave to be placed around the boy, so as to draw him hastily forth when the rock was lifted.

As these preparations were nearing readiness Dr. Schiff went from the boy to the mother, whose plight demanded his care. When the loop was lowered into the cave beside Nicholas he adjusted it with his right hand over his head and under his arm. Then as the men lifted the boulder with the levers and others hauled at the rope around it to prevent its falling forward, Nicholas was drawn from beneath it.

Even then he was master of himself, and as they lifted him to the ambulance

lance his thought was to comfort his mother.

Dr. Schiff, filled with admiration for the little hero, knelt beside him all the way to the hospital, doing everything his knowledge counseled him for his aid.

WOMAN'S ASSAILANT SOUNDLY TROUNCED BY ATHLETIC PRIEST

HANCOCK, Md., May 16.—Thanks to an athletic Roman Catholic priest, who beat her assailant until he cried for mercy, Miss Mary Murray escaped injury and further insult while passing along a dark portion of Main street.

Seized by the throat by a young man from the vicinity of Wardensburg, Pa., Murray screamed as her assailant's fingers known here as Jackson Brakeall, Miss were clutched around her throat.

The Rev. Father H. S. Nagengast, rector of St. Peter's parish, came to the rescue. Brakeall promptly ran away from the spot, being pursued by the priest. After a five-minute chase through alleys and narrow streets he was overtaken by Father Nagengast, who, after a brief wrestle with his captive, gave him such a severe trouncing that big muscles were raised on his head.

When Brakeall was taken into custody by a policeman he required medical attention.

'MERRY WIDOW' CAR PROVES A BONANZA AT CHARITY FETE

DANVILLE, Ill., May 15.—As a result of placing women in entire charge of "benefit day" for the Lakeview Hospital, St. Elizabeth's Hospital and the Children's Home thousands of dollars were realized.

They served dinner in a large downtown building and served midday dinner to more than a thousand persons at stiff prices. In the evening they gave concerts, card parties, a baby show and other entertainments in different parts of the city.

The management of the street car company turned over the trolley lines for the day. The women decorated the cars, took charge of them and introduced a number of interesting novelties. On a car run especially for bachelors a cornet played "No Wedding Bells for Me." On the "Italian car" a man with a monkey and a handorgan amused the throngs. "The Merry Widow" car was one of the most popular modes of transportation. A "merry widow" added the regular conductor, shielded from inquiring eyes behind a heavy veil. She threw coy glances in the direction of men who "tipped" her and aided in swelling the charity day fund beyond the required nickel for carfare.

Another car was labelled "This Car for the Greatest American Bug." Thousands patronized it to find out what was on the inside. They found an explanatory placard reading "Homburg." This was posted on the front of the car to be read as

the passengers entered. As they departed they were able to discern another placard hung at the rear of the car. It read: "Stung."

BRIDE LOCKED IN ATTIC; HER HUSBAND ANGRY

PITTSBURG, Pa. — Details illustrating how four persons are alleged to have stolen a bride of two days were told before Alderman Louis Aliperti. The bride was found locked in the attic room of a house at 1245 Clark street.

Charles Neider took his sweetheart to an altarman and they were married, after which they went to the home of the bride in Clark street. Mrs. Neider's sister, Miss Regina Joseph, together with Samuel Krinitz, who lives at the house, and Amos and Bathos Antro, of Fifth avenue, it is alleged, took the bride into the house and locked her in an isolated room. The bridegroom went to Alderman Aliperti's office and made information against the Antro brothers, Krinitz and Miss Joseph, charging them with conspiracy to steal his wife. He declared in his information that after locking up Mrs. Neider they attempted to induce her to slope to Unkuntown to marry another man where whom the new wife adored.

Tries to Hug Two Women and Is Caught

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Hand in hand on our wedding day,
Hand in hand when our hair is gray.

—Darby and Joan.

There are carping critics in the world who will tell you that love never lasts; but don't you believe them, says Beatrice Fairfax in the New York Journal.

Love does last, as is proven by the many happy old couples that we see all about us.

I have seen a man of seventy show his wife just as lover-like attention as though they were both in the twenties. The love that lasts till the gray hairs come is the love that trusts and is ever ready to forgive and forget.

If you are forever on the lookout for faults, you are sure to find them; but if your love is genuine you will look for the loved one's virtues, not for the faults.

There is nothing in the world so beautiful as the love that proves steadfast through all the ups and downs of life. It stands for constancy, tenderness, patience and forbearance.

It means that two people have stood shoulder to shoulder, through adversity as well as good fortune.

love has reigned supreme.

What can be more perfect than for two people to walk hand in hand down the years of life, serene in the consciousness of each other's love and confidence? Married life is not all honey and roses. There are bitter hours as well as sweet, times when patience is sorely tried, hours of discouragement.

But where real love exists it will rise triumphant over all difficulties, and glorify the simplest cottage into a palace.

There is no peace in the world like that which falls upon the man and woman who have grown old together, and look back upon their years of married life as a sweet memory, and regard the present as a crown of content.

So, marry the man you love, my dears, if he be worthy and able to care for you.

If you marry without love, you will have no Darby and Joan existence in your old age. The hours will be loveless and lonely, and with all your heart you will sigh for the comfort of the hand which means "hand in hand in our wedding day; hand in hand when our hair is gray," with perfect love at the helm to guide you safely into port at last.

And, best of all, it means a home where

WIFE'S ADVICE Should Be Taken SAYS DR. WU

NEW YORK, May 16.—"I can't stop the Chinamen of America from going to hell; I can only advise them how to keep out of the furnace."

With this hopeful preamble Minister Wu Ting-fang went on to tell 500 of his fellow countrymen assembled in the Chinese Theater in Doyers street what to do and what not to do in order to prosper spiritually.

The meeting was held in the interest of the erection of a Confucian temple, which it is proposed to build in Chinatown at a cost of \$100,000.

Mr. Chuan Huan Chung introduced the Minister in a fifty-five-minute speech, which might have been longer but for the impatience manifested by Wu Ting-fang, who during the latter part of Chung's speech got up and walked off the stage. The enthusiasm of the orator was not to be quenched by this demonstration, and he only stopped speaking after a Chinese boy, who acted as master of ceremonies, carried him a note telling him to cease. Dr. Wu said (the speeches were in

Chinese and were interpreted by one of the actors) that Chung had told about everything there was to be told about Confucianism and that he had taken the very words out of his mouth. However, he was not going to be outdone, and so he consumed the part of an hour in giving some fatherly advice. The following are some bits of his counsel:

He explained that he did not intend to oppose Confucianism to Christianity, saying, "Either is good if followed out. It is not so much your creed that will get you into Heaven as it is whether you adhere to its teachings and principles."

"Take your wife's advice and you will be all right."

"Abstain from gambling, opium smoking and whisky."

"Learn everything that is good and leave everything alone that is not good."

"Have peace; do not quarrel over trivial matters, but talk over your differences and settle them by arbitration."

GOSSIP FROM THE SAN FRANCISCO WEEKLIES

OF INTEREST HERE.

Quite interesting is the announcement that King Edward has conferred a title upon Frederic Palmer of Calcutta, India. Mr. Palmer, it will be remembered, wedded Miss Florence Mason of this city, so our fair compatriot is now to be classed with the American beauties who have married titles. All hail Lady Florence and her very clever and agreeable young husband, Sir Charles Palmer!

This Anglo-American alliance came about in a delightfully romantic way. The late John D. Mason of San Francisco, his wife and their pretty daughter, Florence, who was a miss scarcely out of the schoolroom, were making a tour of the world. While traveling in India they were entertained by acquaintances, and there met young Palmer, a very successful engineer. He paid devoted court to the pretty American girl, and when she left Calcutta their engagement was announced. Miss Mason returned to San Francisco, where innumerable functions were given in her honor. As her fiancé could not leave his duties in India, she and her mother returned to Calcutta, where the marriage was celebrated in brilliant fashion. Not long before the earthquake Mrs. Palmer and her baby returned to San Francisco for a visit. Mr. Palmer still being unable to accompany his wife to America. Their stay was a very sad one, as first Mr. Mason died, and then the little baby, to whom Mrs. Palmer gave birth at the time of the quake, also passed away, and when the young mother was able to travel she returned again to India. The Palmers have a superb place in Calcutta, and entertain on an elaborate scale. Miss Mary Bell, the clever litterateur, returned to India with Mrs. Palmer on her last trip, and while visiting her met and married a distinguished British army officer.—The Wasp.

INSISTS SHE IS MAUDE DURRANT.

A young San Francisco woman, who has lived many years in Berlin, writes me that Maude Allen, who has danced herself into fame, is unquestionably Maude Durrant. She insists that the newspaper controversy about the dancer's identity seems absurd, as Miss Allen has frequently admitted that her real name was Durrant, and my informant further says that she feels sure that Miss Allen herself never claimed Canada as a birthplace. The San Francisco girls studying music in Berlin have always known that their compatriot, who called herself Maude Allen, was a sister of Theodore Durrant. For years she went the painstaking way of hundreds of other ambitious girls who fancy they have a musical career before them. She was popular with the other students, and though even many of the foreigners knew that there was some stain on the family scutcheon, fortunately the world's memory on such things is sufficiently hazy to make life bearable for the innocent family. The general opinion there was that her brother had been mixed up in one of "those wild American shooting scrapes, and perhaps killed an Indian girl or two." Miss Allen's voice did not fulfill the promise of her student years, and finally, after several unsuccessful attempts at an operatic engagement, she decided to become a dancer, and give play to her talented toes. Her teacher at one time, so I am informed, was Isadora Duncan, another California girl. The American girls in Berlin, who have always taken a kindly interest in this girl, whose youth was so blackened by another's crime, are delighted at her success, and there is nothing malicious in their revelation of her identity, as they feel her own life has shown no touch of her brother's perversion. Moreover, I am told, she herself feels that the truth need no longer be hidden, but naturally dreads having the family skeleton unnecessarily rattle in the midst of the applause at her own artistic efforts.—News Letter.

A NEW SOCIAL LEADER.

Second in importance only to the election of a new President of the United States is the appearance of a new social leader in the country's premier smart set. New York has not had a real social leader since the death of Ward McAllister. Harry Lehr was reputed to be his successor, but Harry was only society's jester. Mrs. Astor and Mrs. Fish have been dubbed leaders, but no woman is ever a leader in the broadest acceptance of the term because women are disposed to form cliques and snub rivals. In the person of Frederick Townsend Martin, brother of Bradley Martin, and uncle of Lady Craven, I am told, New York society has the real thing, a man with enthusiasm for social functions, with the money to splurge, the disposition to promote social gaiety without regard to cost, and the personal magnetism and freedom from prejudice es-

sential to successful operation as a social leader. Mr. Martin, so the story goes, recently wrote to find himself famous. He gave an afternoon reception where Mrs. George Gould, Mrs. Frances Bruyn and Kyrie Bellew gave a playlet, and the function was commented on by a St. Petersburg paper in which General Horace Porter was quoted to the effect that in all his career he had never seen an audience of greater brilliancy and interest. Now the newspaper writers of New York are sitting up and recalling that the functions which Mr. Martin sponsored were the most noteworthy in a season that opened under a cloud of financial troubles and closed in a burst of splendor.—Town Talk

PASSING OF DR. VOORHIES.

The death of Dr. A. H. Voorhies was particularly sad, coming as it did on the eve of the fleet festivities, in which his wife and one of his daughters were to have taken prominent part. Mrs. Voorhies was to have been on the receiving committee with the Mayor's wife, and her portrait even appeared in one of the papers in that capacity. But the page with that particular article in was doubtless made up and stereotyped weeks before the fleet arrived.

Mrs. Kathryn Voorhies Henry, who went down with Mrs. Joseph Belleau Coryell to Del Monte for the fleet ball, was summoned home on the Saturday morning by the news that her father had suffered a second stroke of paralysis and was not expected to survive. He passed away shortly after.

Dr. Voorhies came here many years ago from Memphis and speedily became known as one of our most successful oculists and aurists. The family lived for a long time in Sacramento street, near Webster, but afterwards moved to California street. It was in the latter residence that all the Voorhies girls were introduced to society. Marie, the eldest daughter, is Mrs. Malcolm Young, wife of a distinguished army officer. Kathryn married Malcolm Henry of Washington, D. C., and not long ago obtained a divorce from him. She is one of the recognized leaders of San Francisco's smart set. Anna, the third daughter, married Tom Bishop; and Lella, the youngest, wedded Lieutenant Guy Scott of the army. There is one son, Grantland Voorhies.

Mrs. Voorhies is prominent in the southern set here, one of the officers of the Daughters of the Confederacy, and prominent in the other clubs and charitable organizations.

It was unfortunate that Dr. Voorhies' favorite daughter, Marie, was so far away and could not be with him during his last moments. Before her marriage Mrs. Young was the devoted companion of her father. She always attended him in his walks, and was his dear chum and confidant. It was her dislike to leave her parents that kept Marie Voorhies a bachelor maid for so many years.—The Wasp.

ANOTHER EXPLOSION THREATENED.

Since the writing of the following jingles Mr. Heney has kindly consented to conduct the Ruff case without aid of his arsenal. But as Mr. Heney is impulsive, and changes his mind, my emotions have not been entirely assuaged. Therefore:

Oh, I vow it makes me shiver,
And my soft goose-flesh to quiver,
Like a chill upon one's liver,

When I read of Beane's bluff—
How the blavelling bully,
Says he's made his mind up fully,
To do something wild and woolly.

Just to prove he's awful tough.

Seeing now that fiasco
Waits on him and Fard Tobacco,
Like shrewd dramatist Belasco,
He would give us all a thrill.
Now that interest is ceasing
He would like to hit the ceiling,
Just to kill our tired feeling
With a startling change of bill.

Hence the gun that's now protruding,
And the simulated brooding
On the awful wrongs obtruding
As he strikes another snag.

Surely now there's trouble brewing,
Soon there must be something doing.
Though it be but Beane's chewing
On his Arizona rag.

—Town Talk.

BURNS AND THE BOMBS.

The Gallagher explosion "outrage" in East Oakland remains a mystery. It occurred while that imitable detective, William J. Burns, was absent in the East, but on Burns' return he declared without hesitation, "It's no mystery!" The indications now are that the great Burns for once was taking the public into his confidence and was telling the truth. The explosion may have been no mystery to Burns, but it is unfortunate that he cannot be

persuaded to make a complete revelation of what is a mystery to everybody else.

Fred Wilhelm, who was arrested with a great flourish of trumpets during Burns' absence, was released last Saturday, but not a line concerning his release was published in the newspapers. Why was not his release quite as interesting as his arrest? Would he have been arrested at all if the doughty Burns had been on the spot? From all information that has reached the public, it appears that Wilhelm manufactured bombs at the direct instigation of none other than William J. Burns himself. An employee of Burns had been instructed by his chief to pretend to Wilhelm that he was an agent of the United Railroads, and the Burns order for bombs was given under this guise. If the Wilhelm "claw" had been followed to its logical conclusion, it would appear that William J. Burns himself should have been arrested.—News Letter.

PLUNGER PURSER IS BLIND.

Big, handsome, lovable Ed Purser, Apollo of the betting ring, world-renowned plunger, will never again see the ponies as they run. The darkness of night has settled over him. He lives, but the sunlight—for him, never again. There remains for him but a sense of the twilight of things tinged with blue and rose, of flowers, the skies and the drooping suns. Poor Ed Purser has been stricken blind. A tragic fate for any man in the full vigor of the meridian of life! but how profoundly affecting when it overwhelms a man of the Purser type, a man who looked upon the world as a place to revel in, and for whom the greater part of life flowed forth in untroubled opulence. Ed Purser was a sporting man, a gambler who spent most of his days on the turf in the mad whirl of the paddock and the betting ring, but his demeanor was always that of a wellbred gentleman and he was respected by all who knew him. He experienced the ups and downs of a gambler's life; once upon a time the owner of a valuable stable of horses, for years famous as a plunger, latterly penniless, but always outwardly genial and never without friends. He is, perhaps, the only race-track gambler ever admitted to the homes of the leaders of San Francisco society. He numbered among his friends men prominent in the most exclusive clubs. During the last few years Purser met with a great deal of misfortune. In vain he tried to recoup his fortune at the track, and gradually the worry of it all affected his health. His eyes soon weakened under the nervous strain and for some months he has been under the care of specialists. An ever waning light made objects glimmer more and more until last week, at the home of a friend in Belvedere, his sense of sight departed.—Town Talk.

MISS DRAPER'S GREAT COUP.

Green eyes have been fastened upon Miss Elsa Draper ever since her modest birthday festival feast, to which she failed to invite all her dearest friends, but did secure the lion of the feast festivities, Admiral Evans. Miss Draper, however, did not expect to antagonize anybody else when she invited the Admiral and his family to her little celebration. The Walnorgian Drapers have known Admiral Evans for years, and he has been fond of Elsa since she was a child. So it was just a natural happening that the visiting lion should consent to grace his young friends birthday tea with his presence.—The Wasp.

THE CLEVER AMES FAMILY.

One expects the children of Mr. and Mrs. Pelham Ames to "do things"; therefore, it is no great surprise to their friends to hear that young Alden Ames, who graduated from Stanford just two years ago, has been appointed vice-consul to such an important city as Tientsin, North China, where he has been for some months past.

All the Ames children are brilliantly endowed mentally, and are extremely accomplished. Alice, who married Mr. Robbins of Boston, was a wonderful musician even when she was a little girl in short skirts and pig-tails. She chose the violin for her instrument, and her sister Bessie chose the violincello. They studied abroad, and did so extraordinarily well that they received offers to appear professionally in concert. But they had no desire then for public life. Miss Bessie Ames is now in the East with her parents, and there is a possibility that the success of her friend, Mrs. Ben Lathrop, as a public singer may induce Miss Ames also to adopt the concert stage as a career.

At one time she was reported engaged to "Bobby" Eyre, and during another season to Dr. Harry Tevis; but she is still Miss Ames and says

she intends to continue so. However, one never can tell. She took up newspaper work and wrote "supp" articles for the Sunday Call, a year or so before the earthquake. As the work of a society girl who had never been trained for this sort of work, the articles were worthy of praise.

"Worthy" Ames always had a good deal of talent, but chiefly in the line of business, though he had a great head for arranging private theatricals and novel entertainments, and is rather a poor amateur actor himself. He married pretty Norma Preston, who has just gone abroad with her mother, Mrs. E. F. Preston, for a tour of Europe. "Worthy," by the way, was operated on for appendicitis last week, but word was not sent his wife until the operation was over. The patient is now convalescing.

The Ames residence in Taylor street, near the home of Dr. Harry Tevis and the Will Tevises, was destroyed by the big fire and all their splendid collection of books, pictures, objects of art and valuable music were lost.—The Wasp.

KEEP TAB ON ALL NAVIES.

Persons not in touch with the officers on board the visiting fleet can form no idea of the intensity with which they keep tab, not only on every detail relating to the efficiency and news of their own navy, but also on rival navies. For instance, in a general discussion on the fleets of the world with a sub-commander, the other day, I was surprised to learn that the Russian navy is regarded as being in an extremely bad way just now. Of course, no opinions on the cause were ventured by my informant. My own inference from what was said is that the Russian service is thoroughly honey-combed with socialists, anarchists, conspirators and "reformers." On most of the vessels, especially in the Black Sea, where so many mutinies have taken place of late, all semblance of discipline and subordination have disappeared. One admiral is on record as saying that in going from his vessel to the harbor landing he always uses a shore boat, because there is extreme danger that in a ship's boat he will be thrown overboard or badly man-handled. The squadrons make a brave showing on paper, but for effective purposes they are useless, a mere stage front of apparent naval force. On many of the most formidable vessels there is not a shell, not even a cupful of powder in the magazines. The authorities do not dare outfit the vessels in war materials, for drastic experience has warned them that such materials will surely be used against the government. Even the arsenals are filled with workmen who are more than suspected of using the materials at hand to furnish their secret magazines with ammunition against the day of a general uprising. To an outsider the service in certain quarters seems to be in a condition where the authorities are momentarily helpless.—News Letter.

MRS. GRAHAM INTERESTED THE RUBBERNECKS.

The advent of the beautiful Mrs. William Miller Graham of Santa Barbara at the Fairmont was somewhat of an event, even in two weeks crowded with interesting things. Mrs. Graham came to town in response to a wire from Mrs. Ellen Glyn, who is to visit the Gabriels later in their Southern home. Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Glyn were friends in England. It will be remembered that the Santa Barbara woman was presented at the court of King Edward and Queen Alexandra a short time ago, at the same time Orrin Peck's sister, Miss Janet Peck, was introduced to royalty.—The Wasp.

"SCOTTY" IN THE FLASHLIGHT.

Last fall in the midst of a highly excited throng filling the barroom of the main hotel in Rhyolite Mineowner Louis Schloss, somewhat exasperated, told "Scotty," the "Flasher of Golconda," that he was a fraud, a humbug, an arrant fake and that a little time would prove it. The chorus is still chatting over "Scotty's" cheap finale, for time has just exposed him in the guise of an ordinary piker and now he lopes along with the coyotes and the best of the sagebrush commonality, an ordinary dot on the picturesque Nevada landscape. For sometime past, instead of working his mythical mine, "Scotty" and his henchmen have been working the wall-to-do tenderfoot willing to advance enough cash to pay for an outfit to visit the famous "lost mine" and cut several bars of bullion out of its gold-filled depths. For six months past these adventures into Death Valley under "Scotty's" guidance have all ended in some sort of fiasco with fulsome, bold and unblushing explanations. It was a cheap way of keeping in the limelight.

Grown bold in this character of work

"Scotty" reached the limit of his effrontery last week when he deliberately pledged the outfit of his latest victim, a young tenderfoot from Chicago, for a bar and hotel bill. Landlord Parks, familiar with the "Scotty" promises, didn't take any chances and forthwith seized the property. The young Chicagoan was game; attempted to recover his rig and was arrested, much to "Scotty's" merriment. He slapped his leg and declared it was the greatest joke ever on the Yahoo. A judicial inquiry fined the young man but by that time "Scotty" was off to other pastures in quest of guileless mining tyros looking for lost Ophirs. No longer does he sport the heavily gold encrusted ore with which he used to astonish the gaping barroom throngs. It was the sight of some of this ore which first aroused the suspicions of Louis Schloss. After examining several specimens on the memorable occasion when "Scotty," just in from Death Valley, was flashing it in the Rhyolite hotel barroom, he said: "That's trick work. Any miner can turn out picture specimens like that by properly treating Goldfield or any other good ore over a fire."

"Scotty" made a bluff of betting to the contrary. Schloss plunked down several thousand dollars on the bar and offered to back his statement for better than \$10,000. "Scotty" failed to cover the money and a little later left the place. It is a significant fact that the episode marked "Scotty's" high-water mark as a "Flasher of Golconda."—Town Talk.

JOKE ON THE SOCIAL CZAR.

Mr. Greenway secured several lions for his grand ball at the Fairmont Hotel, and the affair was certainly a great success. Noticeable amongst the celebrities were Mrs. Glyn, John Drew and Billie Burke. None of these, however, received as much notice as an unknown girl in red—red gown, red French heels, and even the pert Merry Widow bow in her hair was cardinal. She caused a decided sensation and society has been asking many questions since it gazed on her.

In the early part of the evening the crowd was so large that there was a great mixing up of partners. After supper those who go for the event went home and left more floor space for the dancers, and they enjoyed themselves to their hearts' content. It is one of the fundamental rules of Mr. Greenway's gatherings that there shall be no encores, for they remind the Czar of a Sunday picnic, he says. The social ruler was so busy, however, extending courtesies to the officers in the corridor of the Fairmont that the merry throng did little else but dance encores, while their scandalized ruler, all oblivious of what was occurring, was assuring some of his audience that he never permitted such a thing. There was quite a laugh on the Czar when he was informed of his mistake. Altogether, the ball was perhaps one of the most informal given by Czar Greenway, but it was not on that account any the less enjoyable. Perhaps the contrary.—The Wasp.

THE ISSUE AVOIDED.

From the Bulletin I learn that the victory of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League in this city proves that public opinion is still behind the graft prosecution. Once more has the Bulletin been caught napping. Of the seventeen thousand Republican votes cast in this city, ten thousand went to the delegates on the machine ticket. The Lincoln-Roosevelt League captured a few of the large districts by a small margin, and thus did the League elect a majority of the delegates, but the figures in the Registrar's office show that of the total vote the machine received a handsome majority. So if the graft prosecution was involved in the issues of the day repudiation is what the vote expresses. I have no doubt that the graft prosecution was involved, and I am sure that the popular vote is in a measure indicative of public sentiment with reference to the iniquitous combination. Moreover, I am sure that the fake civic patriots are conscious of the fact that they have been unmasked, for before the primary election, while their organs loudly acclaimed the virtues of the League, never did they affirm an affinity between that organization and the graft prosecution. To be sure there is an affinity between them but not by the graft prosecution organs was it proclaimed. Why? Because they were afraid of the issue. So they made it distinctly an anti-railroad fight. But all the people could not be fooled.—Town Talk.

THUG-HAUNTED HENEY.

Francis J. Heney has been flourishing himself in a rude and threatening manner again. He went into court where Judge Dwyling was sitting, wearing a pistol on his person, and when the attorney on the other side of the case accused him of this breach of court etiquette he loudly proclaimed that if he drew his pistol he would use it. When asked why he wore a pistol contiguous to his liver and spleen he answered that he was afraid the thugs would get him if he didn't watch out. Mr. Heney really imagines that he is pursued by thugs. This belief is, of course, a hallucination; for if thugs were after Mr. Heney with honest intent to do him bodily harm they would have accomplished their fell purpose ere this. Two or three thugs could easily do up Mr. Heney in one fell swoop. It would only be necessary for

ten a note of appreciation of my recent paragraph anent the Daughters of the Confederacy and the fleet festivities.

"Look how many of the fleet are named for Southern States," she writes, "and Admiral Evans himself is a Virginian. His brother was a Confederate officer. Would it not have been ordinary courtesy to have made the Daughters at least equally prominent in the affair."

"Besides—and this is only a whisper, dear Wasp, and not meant for boast or brag—say what they please, it was the Old South that bred our finest ladies and gentlemen. The best society we ever had in San Francisco was the Southern set.—The Wasp.

MISS REID MATCHED BY THE KING.

Jane Reid astonished her Burlingame friends by getting engaged to an untitled Englishman. They expected her to marry in England, but they were sure that she would take nothing short of a duke. For several years the gossip of society have made title-tattle of Jane Reid's marital aspirations, and always upon the theory that she yearned for a title; also, upon the assumption that Papa Reid was eager to break into the peerage, and now the gossips learn that D. O. Mills' interesting granddaughter is to become the bride of John Hubert Ward. Which shows that the gossips were wrong in their conjectures and far off in their speculations. The fact is that Jane Reid, as one of her most intimate friends assured me the other day, never burdened her mind with anxieties touching matrimony. According to her philosophy the right man would happen along some day, and she never went to a fortune teller to find out whether he was fair or dark, tall or short, English or American. In a letter to a friend Miss Reid says she saw a good deal of Mr. Ward at Biarritz early in the spring. King Edward was there and Mr. Ward is his Equerry, and one of the most popular members of the king's official family. Though she gives no hint of it in her letter, I hear that King Edward was the matchmaker. However, a local clubman who was at Biarritz when the Reids were there, tells me it was evident from Ward's behavior that he had determined to win the American Ambassador's daughter, and that King or no King, she'd be conquered.—Town Talk.

A WORD TO THE KNOCKERS.

A few surly knockers are showing their heads here and there, and seeking to belittle the performance of the big battleship fleet and the torpedo flotilla in coming from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean.

"There's nothing wonderful about that," exclaim these people. "Why, merchant steamers are making that voyage all the time, and nobody thinks anything about it."

The knockers exhibit ignorance as well as peevishness. So are men-of-war making the same voyage all the time, and nobody thinks anything of it, although it must be remembered, en passant, that while merchant officers and sailors have nothing to do but navigate their ships over paths with which they are thoroughly familiar, man-of-war-men have a host of other things to attend to, and the naval navigators pass through waters they probably never visited before.

But the voyage of a single ship is quite different from the voyage of a great fleet. A single ship takes her own time, her own route, her own speed. She has none but herself to regard. In a great fleet every vessel must keep a given speed and position relative to each and all of the others. To maneuver a fleet skillfully even in the open waters of the wide ocean is a difficult feat. To conduct it through narrow channels, in and out of crowded harbors, with mathematical precision, is decidedly a fine feat.—News Letter.

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one of the thugs to approach Mr. Heney in front while the other thugs took him in the rear and flank. Mr. Heney could not possibly outnumber quick enough to prevent at least one of the thugs from plugging him good and plenty. Mr. Heney may think that he is pursued by thugs, but he is mistaken. There are many "boobs" in the "hatch" who labor under the same delusion. Mr. Heney is not a "boob," but he is laboring under a "boob" delusion. He fails to corroborate his own imagination. It would be an unnecessary expense to hire thugs to "do up" Mr. Heney. If Mr. Heney were "done up" another lawyer as able and vicious, perhaps, would be found to take his place. It is Mr. Heney's inordinate vanity that induces the thug hallucination. He thinks that the graft prosecution could not persist if he were thugged. This is another Heney delusion conjured by his egotism. Mr. Heney's success as a prosecutor, however, has not been so conspicuous that he may arrogate to himself the prerogatives of pupil or even epileptic infallibility. There are many persons who even go so far as to say that the feet of the Un god of the graft prosecution machine are of clay, and a very inferior clay at that. We have never seen Mr. Heney in his bare feet, so we are not prepared to vouch for that statement.—The Wasp.

NOT A DAZZLING AFFAIR.

The visitor at our gates, who could not take the leap over the bars that hedge in the Greenway dance, but was forced to base his estimate of our women from the two semi-public balls at the Fairmont, will be apt to pigeon hole us away in his memory as a "bit dowdy." The society reporters of the daily papers flattened themselves out for several columns before the prodigy of the gowns and jewels worn at these affairs, but I can vouch for it that the general effect of the first ball was anything but dazzling, and I am told that the second reception and ball was just as dragged looking. Even the society women in the receiving party were not resplendent, their flashing jewels not entirely diverting attention from wilted chiffons. Society was evidently prepared for a cosmopolitan crush, and economically pressed into service gowns without a fresh ripple to stand on. All the smart set representatives were in high-neck frocks, in deference to our American ideas about the propriety of décolleté at public balls. The crowds at both balls were in defiance of the number of tickets issued. All sorts of adventurous spirits managed to smuggle in minus the official bit of pasteboard. And the fact that the cards said "and ladies," added to the squeeze, for there were countless men who rushed at that plural bravely entering with one fair woman on each arm and two or three briskly peopling the background. I saw one man escorting seven women and he did not seem in the seventh heaven of delight.—Town Talk.

A MUSICAL KIP.

Mrs. Henry Spies Kip of New York, whose husband, I understand, is of the same family stock as the Kips of California, has gone to Paris where she will continue her study of operatic music. She is a daughter of Mrs. Lewis Quentlin ones and is one of the most accomplished amateur singers in society, and for several years has been studying vocal music in New York. She has been an ardent student and has frequently sung for her friends in society or at entertainments for charity. Her voice is a light soprano.—The Wasp.

SOME ROMANTIC HISTORY.

What a flood of recollection the O'Brien divorce suit, with its sidelights on the social activities of Captain Cybel Harry Maddox, poured through the minds of old-timers! Captain Maddox, in the role of a Don Juan of this generation is decidedly anachronistic. He has been taken out of a past era and remodeled and retouched, but the result is more grotesque than illusory. Captain Maddox served his time as a gay Lothario back in the sixties of the century ago. It was in the sixties that he came to California with his friend, Major Armand Rosalia, and at that period the Captain was always fit for a fight or a frolic. He was from Kentucky, and he had a war record, and he wore the air of a hero who might have figured in a Waverley romance. Many a feminine heart did he flutter down in San Jose, where he took up his residence, and where society was well leavened with the aristocracy of the South, a circumstance that made the social progress of the brave Kentuckian a continuous performance. Handsome and endowed with the social graces, though penniless, he was regarded as a very des-

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strable catch. Southern influence put him into a job in the railroad office, and later he became a clerk for a luncheon company, and finally embarked in the grocery business only for a day. His most brilliant achievement in those days was his marriage, for it was an heirloom that he wooed and won, the charming Virginia Knox, daughter of a banker, who, on his death, had left a large fortune to his widow and only child.—Town Talk.

HENEY'S NERVOUS COLLAPSE.

After Francis J. Heney's latest warlike exhibition in court, consisting of a "near" gun play and threats to slaughter opposing counsel, the erratic public prosecutor was compelled to make humble apology to Judge Dooling. The court accepted Heney's apology, but stated that nothing but his desire to expedite the Ruff trial prevented his doing his duty, which was to send Heney to prison. Subsequently Heney was gracious enough to declare that "out of courtesy" to Judge Dooling, in the future he would leave his artillery outside the courtroom. In Heney's apology to the court he stated that he had been under a great strain for the last four years, that the amount of night work he had been forced to do had told on his nerves, and he regretted that he was not able to exercise sufficient self-control. Heney's own admission only coincides with the opinion of those who have observed his erratic conduct for some time. The person who cannot control himself is least of all fitted to represent the people as public prosecutor. Heney's nervous disorders may explain the behavior, but they do not excuse it.—News Letter.

AN UNATTAINABLE RANK.

There is some talk of creating the office of vice-admiral for Admiral Evans. The talk is permissible in the excitement and enthusiasm of an unusually exciting and enthusiastic occasion; but the practicability of the proposition is somewhat impaired by the prior claim on behalf of Admiral Schley by admirers and hero worshippers as devoted as those who uttered their panegyrics of Admiral Evans at our own banquet boards. It is comparatively recent American naval history that Admiral Schley, in the absence of Admiral Sampson, commander of the fleet in action, won the great victory of Santiago. It is also matter of the same history that politics and personal pique intervened to deprive Admiral Schley of the substantial honors due for this accidental performance of a duty that should have been performed by another. Until these honors have been conferred it is likely that all honors of similar import proposed for other admirals will be deferred. There is a deadlock in the viceregency of the American navy.—Town Talk.

BALL FOR ENLISTED MEN.

The ball on Monday night of this week was not such a crush as the first official affair to the officers. That first night every corner of the Fairmont was mobbed with people, and the committee decided that a great many must have slipped in without invitation. So uniformed officers were stationed on Monday night, and as every one had to show credentials there was room for the people to move about. The receiving party were again the guests of the George Almer Newhalls at an elaborately appointed dinner. To my mind, the handsomest woman in the receiving line was Mrs. Sigmund Stern, who not only possesses rare beauty, but a charm of manner that is distinctly high-bred. The reception committee stood in patient and smiling line until the dancing commenced, and, although people were still arriving, they broke into little groups and moved around, as the task of standing several hours is an arduous one.

Certainly the most interesting ball that has passed with twinkling feet over the pass path marked by the festivities was the ball on Tuesday night, given under the auspices of the California Club, for the enlisted men. Those who went to scoff remained to dance—for the battalions sent a picked lot of men. They were not the sort who translate shore leave as an opportunity to discredit their uniforms. They represent the clean-minded, straight-limbed, sea-loving youth of the country, the young farmer's son who has laid down the plow "to see the world." They came several thousand strong to the dance, and whirled away the fleeting hours. Admiral Thomas looked as pleased as the boys when the grand march signal was given, and from that moment the fun never lagged. The committee women saw to it that every sailor who could even make a pretense at dan-

ing was provided with a partner. From the point of view of the enlisted man, this dance was certainly the queen rose in the bouquet offered by San Francisco.

RUDOLPH WASN'T AT THE BALL.

The Rudolph Spreckels were not, as reported in the dailies, among those present at the Greenway ball. As I have not had access to the Greenway list of invited guests I do not know whether the Spreckels received cards. But I do know they had dinner at the Fairmont on the evening of the ball and left the hotel immediately after dinner. They did not drink Greenway's wine that evening, preferring the Mott & Chandon Brut Imperial, a circumstance that caused the inference to be drawn that they had not been invited to the ball. But I am of the opinion that Mr. Spreckels does not let his prejudices affect his taste for wine.—Town Talk.

STAY OF THE FLEET.

The fleet will remain in the Pacific, at least in part, for many years to come. The fleet as a festive maker will remain until after the Fourth of July. If it were a possibility, the combined fleet should assemble in San Francisco waters. There are a number of vessels in Puget Sound that could be brought down to get to the display and to make an imposing sight; much more imposing than the one now offered the people as an object lesson. This assembly should occur just before the Atlantic fleet, so-called by courtesy, sails for New Zealand and the Orient.—News Letter.

THE "OVERCOAT" INCIDENT RECALLED.

Lieutenant H. Fairfax Ayres, whose voluntary resignation from the Second Cavalry has been accepted by the President, has a number of acquaintances in army circles here. He is the only son of Lieutenant-Colonel Charles G. Ayres, who was retired from the army last year on the ground that he was physically unfit to continue in the active service. The examination of Colonel Ayres by the retiring board was the culmination of a controversy which Mrs. Ayres had with several officers stationed at West Point. Young Ayres never figured to any great extent in the famous "overcoat incident," which caused his mother to criticize Colonel Howze, the commandant of cadets. He was the officer who issued the order that cadets were not to loan their young women friends at football games the overcoats that the government provided for them. Miss Emily Ayres, a sister of Lieutenant Ayres, was one of the young women who was wearing a cadet coat when the order was issued. Returning from the Philippines soon after the overcoat storm broke, Colonel Ayres gave out public interviews upholding the stand taken by his wife and criticizing many of his brother officers. The upshot of it all was that Secretary Taft issued an order that Mrs. Ayres must not visit the West Point reservation without permission of those in authority. Then Colonel Ayres was sent before the retiring board and retired from the service. It has been understood in the army for several weeks that young Ayres was to resign.—The Wasp.

WAS IT HER SPIRIT?

Is Miss Francis Joliffe in Paris or in San Francisco? The Examiner ran her picture as being present in the Greenway ball, so perhaps she slipped into town quite quietly, without letting any of her friends into the secret of her coming. The last news of this very talented member of the Joliffe family was that she was in Paris, and that her sister Mary was to be with her all summer.—The Wasp.

SIGNIFICANCE OF THE AIR SHIP.

Mr. "Bud" Fisher having explained the mystery of Beany's goat should now give us the key to the airship puzzle. Every faithful student of the Mutt pictures is consumed with curiosity every time he sees J. Thred Feelin attached to an air ship. What does it mean? Is the question to be heard wherever men do congregate. Nobody ever heard of a Feelin air-ship. There is a Feelin automobile, but a Feelin air-ship—well of course the Mutt pictures have some significance, but the air-ship seems to be hopelessly over the heads of the general. Unauthoritatively the story is told that the purpose of the airship is to revive recollection of a sensational experience which Mr. Feelin had in Paris some years ago. Briefly the story is to the effect that Mr. Santo-Dumont, the noted

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Assessed Valuation This Year \$1,000,000 Against \$61,420.089 Last Year.

City Treasurer and Tax Collector Meese have completed the figures in regard to the assessment of property and the delinquency shown for the present fiscal year. The assessed valuation for 1907 and 1908 was \$100,000,000 as against \$61,420,089 for the previous year.

On the last day for the payment of taxes before a penalty attached, the delinquency for this year was \$37,970.95 as against \$18,696.91. The showing, however, is favorable, owing to the increased assessed value of the property for this year.

STOLEN WATCH FOUND ON WOMAN PRISONER

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—Mrs. Ann Mulligan, State of California, charged with burglary. The woman is accused by Mrs. Abbey, who conducts a lodging house at 1945 Mission street, of stealing a gold watch valued at \$50 from the room of J. C. Griffin. Griffin was away all day yesterday, and it was during his absence that the theft occurred. When Mrs. Mulligan was searched by the matron of the city prison the watch was found on her person. The watch was an air-ship builder, had a row with Mr. Feelin. It's a very amusing story, spoiled with romance and other things, and Fisher really ought to tell it pictorially.—Town Talk.

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Bond number one (1) to mature one (1) year from the date thereof. Bond number two (2) to mature two (2) years from the date thereof. Bond number three (3) to mature three (3) years from the date thereof. Bond number four (4) to mature four (4) years from the date thereof. Bond number five (5) to mature five (5) years from the date thereof. Bond number six (6) to mature six (6) years from the date thereof. Bond number seven (7) to mature seven (7) years from the date thereof. Bond number eight (8) to mature eight (8) years from the date thereof. Bond number nine (9) to mature nine (9) years from the date thereof. Bond number ten (10) to mature ten (10) years from the date thereof. Bond number eleven (11) to mature eleven (11) years from the date thereof. Bond number twelve (12) to mature twelve (12) years from the date thereof. Bond number thirteen (13) to mature thirteen (13) years from the date thereof. Bond number fourteen (14) to mature fourteen (14) years from the date thereof. Bond number fifteen (15) to mature fifteen (15) years from the date thereof. Bond number sixteen (16) to mature sixteen (16) years from the date thereof. Bond number seventeen (17) to mature seventeen (17) years from the date thereof. Bond number eighteen (18) to mature eighteen (18) years from the date thereof. Bond number nineteen (19) to mature nineteen (19) years from the date thereof. Bond number twenty (20) to mature twenty (20) years from the date thereof. Bond number twenty-one (21) to mature twenty-one (21) years from the date thereof. Bond number twenty-two (22) to mature twenty-two (22) years from the date thereof.

With interest thereon at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum, payable annually on the first day of July of each year until said bonds are so paid. Said bonds and interest thereon shall be sold to the highest bidder at public sale in said County of the United States.

And notice is hereby given that sealed proposals for the purchase of said bonds, or any portion thereof, not less than the amount of one hundred (\$100) dollars, shall be received by the County Clerk of said County of Alameda, at his office in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, on or before the 25th day of May, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day.

That each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check or a cash deposit of the amount of the proposed purchase of said bonds, payable to the order of the Board of Supervisors of said County of Alameda, and that the said check or cash deposit will be returned to the unsuccessful bidder in case of the rejection of his proposal, and that the check or cash deposit of the successful bidder will be forfeited in case he neglects to pay for the bonds sold to him on or before the first day of July, A. D. 1908, ten (10) days after the date of the acceptance of his bid, and that the said check or cash deposit will, however, be retained by the County Clerk of said County of Alameda, at his office in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, until the 21st day of June, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, at which time the Board of Supervisors of said County of Alameda, will meet and the proceedings thereon, on file in the office of the Board of Supervisors, shall be read and specifically made, for further particulars affecting the issuance and sale of said bonds, apply to the County Clerk of said County of Alameda.

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NOTICE OF THE REGULAR ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING OF THE PORTER HALL COMPANY

Notice is hereby given to you and each of you, the stockholders of the Porter Hall Company, that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders is hereby called to meet on Thursday evening, May 14th, 1908, at 8 o'clock P. M., to be held at the Vancouver Hotel, corner of 11th and Clay streets, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California. The meeting is called for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of other business as may properly come before the meeting. Said meeting is called in accordance with the by-laws and regulations prescribed in the by-laws of this corporation. JESSE A. JACKSON, Secretary of the Porter Hall Company (Inc.)

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FIVE-ROOM furnished house; large grounds. 532 38th St. bet. Grove and Telegraph; near Key Route.

FURNISHED cottage; 4 rooms; convenient to telephone and Key Route cars. Call 487 35th St. in rear.

FURNISHED bungalow (electric lights) for rent at Ben Lomond. Address: Ben Lomond, 2400 Ben Lomond, San Francisco.

FOR RENT—12-room house, 19 rooms furnished; near cars and train. 2112 Durant ave., Berkeley.

HALF of a 5-room sunny modern cottage; private bath and shower; suitable for quiet couple. 245 24th St.

PARTIALLY furnished 4-room cottage in rear. 934 Myrtle St., near car lines and local. Rent \$20.

SPLENDID opportunity—Upper sunny flat, furnished, clean, bright, modern; light, gas, new and clean; suitable for two; close in; 3 blocks Broadway; rent \$45. Box 529, Tribune.

HIX large sunny rooms furnished; modern; near Key Route; 2225 Adeline St. Six rooms and bath; modern; good location; convenient to Key Route. Apply P. G. Bourne, 1212 Broadway.

\$18.00 PER MONTH—Furnished rear cottage of 3 rooms, gas, electricity, hot water, water, gas, stove, sink, even, also coal range; electric lights; good yard close neighborhood. 464 36th St., near Telephone ave.

UNFURNISHED HOUSES.

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FOR RENT—Eight-room 2-story house, 435 37th St., east of Telegraph. Rent \$40, water extra; key next door.

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A.A.—Upper flat, six rooms; new, modern; convenient on car line; fine view; roomy; rent \$35. See owner, 2548 Ashby, corner College.

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FOR RENT—New modern 8-room upper flat; moderate rent. Grove St., near 38th.

FOR RENT—New sunny cottage, 5 rooms and bath; one block from Key Route Inn; rent \$30. Inquire 1004 Broadway, room 6.

FOR RENT—7-room upper flat on 12th Street, bet. Alameda and Jackson, rent reasonable. J. A. Putnam, Circulation Department, Tribune.

FOR RENT—Unfur. flat, five rooms, bath; gas, three blocks of 23rd ave., station. 407 Park Ave., East Oakland.

NEW sunny, 6 rooms, elegantly finished, stained floors, reception hall, 1118 18th St., overlooking park; 5 minutes to Key Route; \$57.50.

NEW, modern, 4-room sunny flat, near 22d St., Key Route, large yard. Apply 1728 Market St., Sunday or week days, from 3 to 5; no children.

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SEE our list of houses and flats to rent. Six rooms and bath; rents \$25 and \$30. Two stores, rents \$20 and \$25. Corner Fruitvale ave. and Old County Road. Apply phone 1004 Broadway.

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Sunday Services in the Oakland Churches

Services in the Oakland churches for Sunday are as follows:

Unitarian-First Unitarian, corner Fourteenth and Castro—William Day, minister. Services and sermon at 11 a. m. subject, "Knights and Ladies of the New Chivalry." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Kindergarten class, 11 to 12. Religious study class at 12:15. **Episcopal—St. Paul's Church**, corner of Twenty-third and Webster streets—The Rev. Alexander Allen, rector. Holy communion, 8 a. m. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. morning prayer, sermon and confirmation, at which Bishop Nichols will preach and confirm, offering for diocesan mission, 11 a. m. infant baptism, 3 p. m. choral vespers with sermon and special music, 5 p. m. **St. John's Church**, Eighth and Grove streets—Rev. Edgar P. Ger. rector. Services: Low celebration of Holy Communion, 7:45 a. m.; matins and solemn eucharist (sermon), 10:45 a. m.; choral evensong (sermon), 7:30 p. m. **St. Andrew's Church**, 12th and Maganola streets—Rev. E. R. Dodds, priest in charge—Holy communion, 7:45 a. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m. Morning prayer, 11 a. m. Anthem, "O Lord, How Manifold are Thy Works" (J. Barrely). Evensong, full vested choir. Litany and address, Friday, 8 p. m. **Christian Science—Second Church of Christ Scientist**, 352 East Fifteenth street, near Seventh avenue—Services at 11 a. m. subject, "Mortals and Immortals." Wednesday meeting, 8 p. m. **First Church of Christ Scientist**, Franklin and Seventeenth streets—Services Sunday, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. subject,

7:45 o'clock. Sermon morning and evening by the pastor. **Grace Presbyterian Church**, Sixty-second street, between Grove and Dover—W. H. Layton, 11 D. pastor. Services, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; midweek service, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "The Law of the Heart." Evening subject, "The Doubter." Mrs. Elvira Janke and Clara Morrow will sing at the morning service. H. B. W. Cady will sing at the evening service. Any singer wishing to sing regularly or occasionally in the choir will please to address the pastor, box 110, South Berkeley, or attend rehearsal, Wednesday evening at church. Mme. Maretzek has charge of the choir. **Union Street Presbyterian Church**—Rev. Joseph Newton Boyd, pastor. Morning, 10:45 a. m. "The Touchstone of Character." Evening, 7:30 p. m. "The Sinews of Service." **Brooklyn Presbyterian Church**, 12th avenue and East 15th street—Rev. H. K. Sanborn, pastor. 11 a. m. "Through Fire and Water." 7:30 a. m. "Mark's Good News of Power." **Methodist—Norwegian-Danish M. E. Church**, 514 Twentieth street, near San Pablo avenue—E. J. Lundegaard, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m. preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Subject for morning service, "Grace, and for the evening, "Liberty." Prayer and praise service at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. Young People's meeting, Thursday evening. **First Methodist Episcopal Church**, Fourteenth and Clay streets—G. W. White, D.D., pastor; F. C. Gale, assistant pastor. The pastor will preach at 11 a.

11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning, children's day exercises and infant baptism; evening subject, "A Study in the Life of Abraham." **Centennial M. E. Church**, Ninth and Chester streets—Regular services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor, Rev. G. M. Richmond, will preach morning and evening. The topic of the morning discourse will be, "How to Kill the Church," and the evening, "That Halt

ject of sermon: "The Danger of Avarice." In the evening at 7:45 the subject of the sermon will be "What I Would Do for the Young Men of Oakland if I Could." This service will be held under the auspices of the Men's Bible Class League of the church. **Baptist—Melrose Baptist Church**, corner Forty-seventh avenue and Bond street—Walter E. Tanner, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m.,

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Entertainment Will Be Given at Dreamland Rink for Relief of Poor.

The Children's Agency, an organization operating for a number of societies and institutions in finding homes for abandoned and orphaned children, will be the beneficiary at a gigantic entertainment at the Dreamland Rink on the 26th of May to be given by the Elks of Alameda county.

The affair will be a minstrel show and William Hammond Jr. will act as middleman, supported by the best of local talent.

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TALKS NEW CHARTER AT HARBOR LEAGUE

Last night at the headquarters of the Harbor League, at 1018 Broadway, A. A. Benson spoke upon the subject of the proposed new charter for Oakland, as suggested by the members of the Alameda County Progress Club. The proposed charter includes the initiative and referendum, the recall and the direct primary.

Nathl B. Greenfelder spoke briefly of the natural harbor possessed by Oakland and expressed the opinion that if the harbor was developed along business lines its growth would be unrivaled. He also discussed the matter of the city charter, saying that Oakland needed an up to date charter such as is being adopted by many cities throughout the country.

SELLS GRANT'S CIVIL WAR LETTER FOR \$76

NEW YORK, May 16.—High prices ruled in the sale of autograph letters from the correspondence of "Uncle Sam" Ward and Peter Force, the historian. The top figure, \$76, was paid for an important Civil War letter of General U. S. Grant, dated April 4, 1862, only a few days previous to the surrender of General R. E. Lee.

The next highest price of the sale was \$64 for a parole to a Southerner signed by President Lincoln and dated "Executive Mansion, Washington, October 17, 1864." A particularly fine letter of Robert Browning, telling how he came to write his famous "Ride from Ghent to Aix," fetched \$50.

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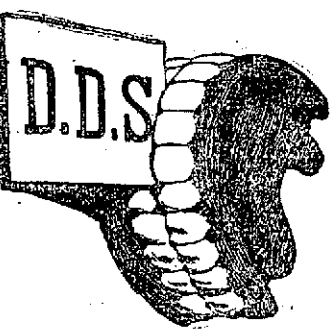


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"Mortals and Immortals." Wednesday, memorial service at 8 p. m. Divine service at 10 a. m. Upper Maple Hall, corner of Fourteenth and Webster streets. Sunday, 11 a. m. Address by Mrs. Helen E. Clore.

Christian—First Christian, Thirteenth and Jefferson streets—Rev. Thomas A. Boyer, pastor. Morning, "No More Sea." Evening, "The Extension of Life's Horizon, or the Open Door of the Sky."

Advent—Christian Church, corner Thirteenth and West streets—M. and N. L. MacFadyen, pastors. Morning subject, "The Great Power of the Almighty." Evening subject, "Meet in Due Season."

Sunday school at 10 a. m. preaching at 11 a. m.; Young People's Meeting at 8:45 p. m. and preaching at 7:30 p. m. **Fruitvale Christian Church**, Fruitvale avenue and Twenty-third street—R. L. McHarrison, 1203 Bassett street, pastor. Sunday meeting subject, "The Denial of Peter." Address on the tabernacle, Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Junior Endeavor, 5:30 p. m.; Senior Endeavor, 8:45 p. m.

Presbyterian—First Presbyterian Church—Rev. E. E. Baker, D.D., pastor. Sermons by Professor C. S. Nash, D.D., on the Pacific Theological Seminary. Morning, 11 o'clock, "Pursuit of Power." Evening, 8 o'clock, "Freedom from Restraint." At the Wednesday evening prayer meeting Professor G. G. Patterson will give an address, "The Laboring Man and the Church."

First United Presbyterian Church, corner of Castro and Eighteenth streets—Rev. Paul Stewart, pastor. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Evening worship at

7:45 o'clock. Sermon morning and evening on the subject, "Is the Apostles' Creed Out of Date?" 7:30 p. m. "The White Stone."

Twenty-fourth Avenue Methodist Church, corner of Twenty-fourth avenue and East Fifteenth street—Sermons by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Wright. Morning subject, "Our Heroes." The evening theme will be "Better Men." President Roosevelt said, "The greatest work of this nation is better men." All are welcome.

Bay Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, Melrose, J. O. Duncan, pastor. Sermon by the pastor both morning and evening.

The Eighth Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, Eighth avenue and East Seventeenth street—Leon L. Looftbourgh, minister. 11 a. m., morning worship, with sermon on the subject, "The Church and Progress," a theme suggested by the general conference of the church, now in session in Baltimore. 8:30 p. m., evening service, "The Ultimate Question."

Shattuck Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of Shattuck avenue and Sixty-third street—Morning service, 11 o'clock, topic, "What Owest Thou?" by the pastor. Evening service, 7:45, Rev. Wilson the returned missionary from China, will preach; special music, H. F. Harrington, leader. Rev. A. J. Kennedy, pastor.

Mrs. James Grundy, evangelist of A. M. E. Zion Church of San Jose, will preach at Cooper A. M. E. Zion Church, Campbell street, Sunday morning and evening. Meetings will continue next week.

First United Presbyterian Church, corner of Castro and Eighteenth streets—Rev. Paul Stewart, pastor. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Evening worship at

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Spiritual—First Spiritual Church, Athens, near San Pablo avenue—Meetings Sunday at 2 p. m., conducted by Dr. A. A. Stitt, at 7:45 p. m., lecture by Mrs. Carrie Armstrong, subject, "Christ a Medium." Evening, by Rev. A. Smith and Mrs. N. J. Evans.

W. J. Coville lectures in Hamilton (upper) Hall, Thirteenth and Jefferson streets, Sunday, 8 p. m. "The Present Outlook for Universal Peace."

Public Spiritualist services Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock, at K. K. Hall, 229 Twelfth street, corner Alce street. Musical and vocal program by Mrs. Josephine Chew. Lecture by Arnold-Dickson, subject, "Resurrection of the Body Impossible."

Congregational—Plymouth Congregational Church, Piedmont avenue—Rev. Albert W. Palmer, pastor. 11 a. m., "In Quietness Shall Be Your Strength." 7:45 p. m., "What is a Social Settlement?"

Market Street Congregational Church, corner Market and Eighteenth streets—Rev. Griffith Griffiths, pastor. Sunday service at 11 a. m. subject, "Our Country's Defenders."

First Congregational Church, Twelfth and Clay streets—Rev. Charles B. Brown, pastor. 11 a. m., "The Divine Recognition of Human Need." 7:30 p. m., "The Value of Changes."

Fourth Congregational Church—Rev. Frederick H. Marr, pastor. Morning, "The Thrice Repeated Question." Evening, "The Captain's Call."

Pilgrim Congregational Church—Raymond C. Brooks, pastor. 11 a. m., "The Spiritual Power of the Average Man." 7:30 p. m., Rev. L. P. Hitchcock of Alameda will preach.

United Brethren—First United Brethren Church, Thirtieth-fourth and Adeline streets—Marion R. Drury, D.D., pastor. The morning service at 11 o'clock, subject, "Power vs. Reason." B. Y. P. U., 8:45 p. m. at 7:30 the series "Life's Epiphany" subject, "Home-Making." A discussion of the forces which have to do with the selection of life partners; the evils of the present marriage laws; the true idea of the home and the part the church and Christian life has in the same.

Tenth Avenue Baptist Church—H. L. Boardman, minister. At 11 a. m. Rev. O. C. Wright, Eugene, Ore., will preach. The usual service at the evening hour, 7:45 o'clock.

Twenty-third Avenue Baptist Church—Rev. George Frederick Holt, D.D., pastor of the First Baptist Church of Riverside, will preach at 11 and 7:30. The pastor, Rev. Edwin S. Stucker, will preach for Dr. Burlingame at the First Baptist Church, San Francisco, and conduct a service for the sailors on the battleship Missouri in the afternoon. Mrs. Murdoch will address the Wednesday evening meeting. Rev. L. F. Russell will deliver an illustrated lecture on "Old Missions in California" at the church on Friday evening. The church has sent Frank M. Davidson to represent it at the National Baptist Anniversaries at Oklahoma City, May 20-27.

First Free Baptist Church, Twenty-first street, between San Pablo avenue and Brush street—Services Sunday, preaching, morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. William Robert Reid.

Lutheran—Zion's German Lutheran Church, corner Twelfth and Myrtle streets—J. H. Theiss, pastor. At 10:45 a. m., "Jehovah Good Gift From Above." Evening, 7:30 o'clock, "Joseph in Egypt."

First English Lutheran Church, Sixteenth and Grove streets—Rev. Oscar H. Gruver, pastor. Morning, "The Knowledge of Sin." Evening, "The Righteousness of Faith."

Evangelists' Meeting—An Evangelist meeting will be held at Watchers' meeting, 865 Broadway, upstairs, Sunday at 3 p. m., subject, "The Millennium."

SAYS PRICE OFFERED FOR PROPERTY IS TOO SMALL

Attorney John De Lancy Secures Postponement in Skelton Estate.

Attorney John De Lancy has had the matter of the estate of Mary A. Skelton continued for one week in Superior Judge Waste's court, as he claims that the amount of which a piece of property belonging to the estate was sold was too small. De Lancy will ask the court to set aside the sale and order new bids submitted. The property was sold for \$7500.

The Skelton estate was awarded by the courts to William Reuter, who claimed that he was to be given the Skelton property because he had cared for the woman.

UNITED RAILROADS TO EXPEND \$375,000

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—The United Railroads yesterday awarded contracts for additional electrical equipment at its North Beach power station which will give it more than twice the amount of current now generated, and will entail an expenditure of \$375,000.

The capacity of the new machinery will provide 5,000 kilowatts of power, equal to 5,000 horse power, and with the present capacity of 4,000 kilowatts will allow this power station to furnish 9,000 kilowatts, equal to 12,000 horse power. The order includes a new steam turbine generator and a new frequency changer, new boilers and other pieces of electrical equipment, and will require thirty cars to transport it from Schenectady, N. Y.

Work is soon to be commenced on the reconstruction of the north track on McAllister street between Van Ness avenue and Divisadero street.

S. F. EAGLES TO HOLD TENTH ANNUAL REUNION

5000 Sailors From Battleships Will Participate in Picnic at Shell Mound Park.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—The San Francisco branches of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will hold their tenth annual reunion and picnic at Shell Mound Park tomorrow.

More than 5000 Eagles—aboard the battleships have been granted special liberty and will attend.

Following is the general committee and its divisions: D. J. Creamer, chairman; finance—D. L. Creamer, C. F. Williams, Ed. L. Head; printing—James P. Devine, L. Fontanel, M. F. Welsh; badge—H. Goldman, R. H. Rusch, J. M. Newbert; prize—J. P. Reilly, E. A. Fano, J. F. Whelan; games—J. P. Howard, J. P. Reilly, T. C. Gilman; music—Ed. L. Head, C. F. Williams, Ed. L. Head; printing—H. Rusch, H. Goldman, R. H. Everett; reception—E. Fano, T. P. Howard, T. C. Gilman; floor—M. F. Welsh, J. D. Guerrero, Ed. J. Kelly; press—L. Fontanel, E. A. Fano; Ed. L. Head; program—G. F. Fontanel Jr., J. P. Devine, F. H. Everett; order—J. F. Whelan, G. M. Bryan, J. D. Guerrero.

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